**Weather**
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## WU TING-FANG SAYS UNITED PARLIAMENT WILL CONVENE

### Believed Arrival Marks Final Breaking Up Of Canton Government

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### Constitution Will Be Drafted By Assembly To Be Formed

Dr. Wu Ting-fang, who led the parliamentary revolt that split North from South in China three years ago, came back to Shanghai from Canton yesterday. His coming marks the final disintegration of the Government at Canton and presages the opening of a new united Parliament representing both North and South which in all probability will come into being in Shanghai.

"The Canton Government is ended," said Doctor Wu at his home on Gordon Road yesterday afternoon. "The new Parliament will be opened soon—in the coming weeks, not months." He added that the exact time when the new assembly will be formed may not now be fixed and he said also that it had not been decided where it will be held.

Of the 300-old members of the Canton Parliament about ninety have now come on to Shanghai and it is understood that others are to arrive in the near future. These will form the Southern representation in the Parliament that is planned and which will be completed with the addition of a representation from Peking.

**AWAITS TANG'S ENVOY**

With Doctor Wu's arrival there are now present in Shanghai three members of the Southern Government's Administrative Council, Doctor Wu, Dr. Sun Yat-sen and Tang Shao-yi, head of the Southern Peace Delegation, whose negotiations with the Northern delegates have not been resumed since they were broken off just a year ago. Within a short time it is expected that a representative of General Tang Chi-yao, a fourth member of the Administrative Council, will arrive here. This will bring to Shanghai a majority of the membership of the southern Administrative Council.

Doctor Wu said yesterday that action that is to be taken awaits the arrival of this representative of General Tang and he added that there will be no question that he will be sent and will join the Southern forces now here. All of the developments attending the breaking up of the Southern Government have followed and have direct relation to negotiations that have been in progress between Dr. Sun Yat-sen here and Tuan Chi-jui and other principals of the Peking Government, though Doctor Wu had no word to say yesterday concerning these negotiations with Peking.

**NEW CONSTITUTION**

A preliminary purpose of the new Parliament will be to draft a Constitution for the nation and on this score Doctor Wu said yesterday that a large part of the work of drafting a constitution had already been carried out, so when this particular business comes before the new parliament it will be offered with the end of obtaining the assent of the Northern represeniation and besides additional clauses are to be worked into form. An ultimate purpose will be to bring an end to strife within the country.

"It is not a patched up peace that we want to bring about," Doctor Wu declared. "We must seek to achieve a definite program to which both sides will agree, something that will be stable."

Doctor Wu was unwilling to go into other questions of matters that may be dealt with by the Parliament.

With some hesitation the Southern leader gave approval to purposes of the New Consortium.

**PEACE FIRST; LOANS LATER**

"This is no time though," he added, "for China to be borrowing money from foreign powers. What must be done now is to bring about peace within the country, then, if the terms offered are adequate and satisfactory we can properly ask for the use of foreign money."

In dealing with the conditions that the New Consortium proposes to impose Doctor Wu went a long step beyond other Chinese statesmen in his reply to another question.

"Foreign supervision of expenditure of money loaned," he said thoughtfully "should be carried out. It is not kind to say this of China, perhaps, but the thing I am thinking of is, what is best for China, and so I must say foreign supervision of how the money is spent, probably for two or three years or until we know surely we can trust our officials, is the best thing.

"When we know we can fully trust Chinese officials charged with expenditures and know that they are actuated by loyal and patriotic motives, then this duty

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## *Victories Of Trotsky Put Strain On Russia, And Show Peace Need*

### Every Advance Takes Forces Further From Base, Complicating Supply Deliveries—Yet All Feel Any Peace With Democracies Will Be Only Brief Truce—United States Regarded As Last Stronghold Of Capitalism

*In this his sixth article of an illuminating series of stories on conditions in Russia and the results of Bolshevism, Mr. Eyre, Paris correspondent of The New York World, tells of what Trotsky's victories have cost Russia. These articles first appeared in the New York World.*

BY LINCOLN EYRE

PARIS, March 3.—One of Russia's many paradoxes is found in her military performances. Rabid anti-militarists all, her rulers nevertheless built up in eighteen months an army of over 3,000,000 men, and fed, clothed, armed and munitioned it while literally fighting for their lives against both foreign and domestic enemies. What the Red Army has done in the last four or five months is common knowledge. Backed only by the enfeebled resources of their own fatherland, Trotsky's proletarian legionaries flung back and finally stamped out of existence a long succession of adversaries, drawing freely upon the vast treasure house of Allied armament, ammunition and money. The Red Army will be described in greater detail in an article specially devoted to its analysis. All that need be said about it at this point is that in my judgment, based on a comprehensive study of the French, British and American Armies, it is the most powerful—though by no means the nearest technically perfect—military organism in the world today.

### Victories Only Increase Strain

The Red Army's victories against Kolchak, Judenitch and Denikin are in themselves paradoxical, in that they serve to increase the Russian need for peace. With every fresh victory the army's strength is augmented through the addition to the Red ranks of insurgent detachments and White deserters. Consequently, the strain it imposes upon the industrial and transportation structure is augmented too. Every advance recorded in Siberia or the Crimea brings the front line further from the base and complicates the task of supplying munitions, food and equipment. Thus it becomes increasingly evident to all Russians, whatever their political leanings may be, that Russia must have peace in order to survive economically. And yet—another paradox—all feel that any peace established now between Soviet authority and Governments of the bourgeois and democratics cannot be more than a brief truce because Socialism and capitalism cannot abide side by side, and because neither can be suppressed without warfare.

The Bolshevik faith in the ultimate appearance of a world revolution has not waned, but their hope of its speedy coming has lessened considerably. They voice open disappointment in the Socialist leaders and even in the proletariat abroad. They profess astonishment that the working classes should permit themselves to be so grievously misled. At certain points, however, they see immediate revolutionary possibilities. Finland, they think, is ready to flame into revolt almost any minute. Austria and Germany, in their view, should soon follow. Of the victorious nations they favor first Italy, then France, as the propagators of social upheaval.

### United States A Capitalistic Stronghold

In the United States they discover the last stronghold of capitalism because they realise that capitalistic economy is more stable there than anywhere else. Meanwhile, though they concede the immediate supremacy of the bourgeoisie in foreign lands, they no longer fear a counter revolution at home. The Red terror, they affirm, has done its work. Unless the Entente "starts something" in the line of conspiracies, there will be no more shootings of anti-Bolshevik plotters, they aver. The death penalty, which, if only for the sake of Socialist world opinion, they have long been eager to abolish, will never again make its appearance so long as Russians are left to themselves.

Certainly terror is too strong a word to use in describing the Soviets' treatment of their opponents today. I had more than one direct proof of their comparative leniency. How red the terror may have been six months or a year ago, I cannot say. It is absurd to think one can arrive at the truth about Bolshevik brutalities at so early a day when one considers that history even now is unable to fix with any degree of accuracy the tally of the French Revolution's victims.

### Most Brutality Stories Absurd

Assuredly a large number of human beings—and perhaps as many as 10,000, though the Bolshevists insist that the total is very much lower—have been slain in cold blood, that is, not in battle but by execution, since November 7, 1917. Doubtless many have been tortured as well as massacred. But even from my many talks with White Russians, among them numerous out and out Tsarists, I cannot believe that there has been even a small percentage of the frightful and senseless atrocities with which the Bolshevist have been charged. Why I have no hesitation in making this statement will be disclosed in a later article going more deeply into the question of Soviet terrorism.

Besides their military, anti-counter revolutionary and diplomatic enterprises the Bolshevists are carrying on two vitally important campaigns. One is against disease and the other against ignorance. In one of his speeches Lenin exclaimed: "Socialism must kill the louse, or the louse will kill Socialism." By that he meant the danger of the spread of typhus through body lice. Typhus epidemics are raging practically unchecked in the Urals and Siberia and in Southern Ukraine. The worst of them are heritages to the Red Army from the Kolchak and Denikin forces. They are moving gradually westward, threatening Central Russia, Moscow and Petrograd. Given the proper supply of medicines and enough doctors released from work with the army, disease could be swiftly controlled, the Russian medical authorities claim. As it is, practically all that can be done is to limit the sway of the germ by the strictest possible quarantine methods, which are being rigorously applied.

### Educational System Growing

In combating their other intangible antagonist, ignorance, the Bolshevists show themselves at their best. Their educational program is nothing short of magnificent. Illiteracy is being overcome with astonishing rapidity, largely through a system of education instilled into the Red Army. Education is compulsory for all children from eight to sixteen, and all are not only taught, but fed, clothed and housed at the state's expense. Where there were seven universities under the Tsar, there are seventeen under the Soviets. When Petrograd had a population of over 2,000,000 persons, 30 percent could not read and write. Today there are only 60,000 illiterates out of a little more than 1,000,000 persons left in the capital. Like everything else under Soviet management, the educational scheme is better on paper than in practice. But not even the Bolshevist's worst enemy could deny that Russian children are actually getting more education today than they ever had. Special instruction in the arts and sciences has also received

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## NOTES OVER FRENCH ACT IN GERMANY KEPT SECRET

### Bonar Law Announces There Will Be No Publication

### PRESS OPTIMISTIC

### Newspapers See Benefit In Lesson To Former Foes

(Reuter's Service)

London, April 14.—In the House of Commons this afternoon at question time Mr. Bonar Law stated that it was not desirable to publish the British and French notes with regard to the French occupation of German towns. He declared that Anglo-French relations were harmonious, as he hoped they would always be. Mr. Bonar Law intimated that the matter would be discussed at San Remo.

**PRESS OF LONDON IS OPTIMISTIC IN VIEWS**

London, April 13.—The morning papers commenting on yesterday's debate in the house of commons on the Anglo-French situation, point out that although the differences between the two countries are not yet completely settled, decisive progress has been made.

The Times writes, "France may have committed a breach of diplomatic etiquette but in substance she did the best thing not only for herself but for all the Allies, by teaching a lesson to the German Government and the militarists."

The Daily Telegraph understands that M. Millerand has given the assurances desired by the British Government. The journal emphasises that the outcome of the negotiations is "no victory for any side but a triumph of reason."

The Daily Mail says, "The rift in the entente has been practically closed."

The Daily Express remarks: "Candor and frank dealing have been possible and even helpful for the entente, which has emerged from the test with its purposes fortified."

The Daily Chronicle says: "The practical value of the San Remo meeting depends on the success obtained in reaching specific deci-

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## ALLIES TO GET PROTEST ON JAP ACTS IN SIBERIA

### Technical Board At Harbin Sends Notes About Shooting Of Two Russians

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Harbin, April 15.—The members of the Inter-Allied Technical Board yesterday sent strong protests to their respective Governments against the Japanese action in shooting two Russians at Imyanpo and in throwing one Russian from the bridge at Harbin, and also against the Japanese arrest of railway workers at Hailar on April 11.

General Pao Kwei-ching has issued a circular telegram stating that he is determined to disperse the Central Committee of railway workers and that he has given the police the necessary orders for the purpose.

Following on the Hailar incident on April 11 relations between Czechs and Japanese have been very strained.

The Japanese on the night of April 13 demanded that the Czech armored train "Orlik" should be handed over to them. The report circulated here that the Czechs have complied is not confirmed by the Czech Staff.

On the morning of April 14 the Japanese supported by Chinese, claimed that the Czechs were responsible for the affair of April 11, demanded a written acknowledgment of the fact. The Czechs refused to comply but offered a written explanation which was accepted.

It is reported from Manchuria that there has been heavy fighting west of Chita between local Reds and the Japanese, with heavy casualties on both sides. It is also rumored that the Japanese are preparing to evacuate Chita.

Ataman Semenoff is reported to be at Servetensk with the Japanese.

There is considerable excitement in Harbin.

## Funeral Cortege Of Gaby Deslys, Noted Dancer

Funeral cortege of Gaby Deslys passing through Paris streets.

Thousands of Parisians paid a final tribute to Miss Deslys when the hearse containing her body passed through the streets. Crowds lined the sidewalks and many stood with bared heads as the procession went by. The hearse was covered with costly floral tributes sent by admirers of the famous actress. The funeral was one of magnificence.

## RUSSIAN GIRL'S DEATH BY BULLET BAFFLES POLICE

### Miss Vera Yanogava, Shot Tuesday At French Park, Dies In Hospital

Mysterious circumstances surrounding the death yesterday morning at St. Mary's Hospital of Miss Vera Yanogava, a young Russian girl who was taken to the institution Tuesday night with a bullet wound in her chest, will be rigidly investigated today by French police authorities.

The case is believed to be a suicide and from what could be learned last night Miss Yanogava shot herself early Tuesday evening while in or near the French Park. She was accompanied by a young lady companion who secured assistance from foreigners residing nearby to take Miss Yanogava to the hospital. Dr. Ricou was called immediately but the bullet was near the heart, peritonitis later set in and the young lady, though conscious up to the last, died at 9 o'clock yesterday.

Until notified of the incident by THE CHINA PRESS last night the French police had not heard of the affair. M. Xavier, head of the criminal investigation department of the French police, said he would get into communication with the Russian authorities this morning and that a thorough investigation would be made today.

**NOT REPORTED TO POLICE**

The police had not been apprised of the shooting, know nothing of the attending circumstances, and are at loss to account for the fact that the case was not reported, Monsieur Xavier said last night.

There are several points to be cleared up today.

Because the attending circumstances are yet a mystery to the police, no motive can be ascribed. The whereabouts of the revolver or pistol are not known. The story of Miss Yanogava's companion is yet unrevealed.

Little is known of the dead girl. Up to five months ago she had lived in Chapei and last resided with friends at 494 Rue Lafayette, a few hundred yards from the French Public Garden at Koukaza where the shooting is believed to have taken place. She was well educated, refined and accomplished and was known to several Shanghai people as an excellent French teacher.

Neither Doctor Ricou, who attended the young lady, or the nurses at the hospital would comment on the case. They said that she was brought to the hospital, "evidently by friends." She had a bullet wound in the diaphragm. There were rumors of suicide but neither the physician nor the sisters could verify them as they merely cared for the young lady who entered the hospital as a patient.

**MAY DEMAND INQUEST**

The body was taken from the hospital late yesterday afternoon and conveyed to the Bubbling Well Chapel where funeral services are to be held today providing the French police and Russian authorities do not demand an inquest after inquiries are made this morning.

The circumstances of the girl's death might have never been investigated had not one of Miss Yanogava's pupils complained that she did not appear Wednesday morning for an usual French lesson. The lady who recommended Miss Yanogava as a teacher made inquiries and found that the girl was in St. Mary's Hospital on Route Pere Robert.

Her companion of Tuesday night then evidently told of the shooting.

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### *English And Welsh Miners Cast Votes On Question Of Strike*

(Reuter's Service)

London, April 13.—The result of the English and Welsh miners' strike ballot was: South Wales; majority of 69,000 for a strike: Leicestershire, Warwickshire, Forest of Dean; small majorities against.

### *Prince Of Wales Is Escorted To Hawaii By U.S. Seaplanes*

*Heir To British Throne Starts For Fiji Islands After Seeing Honolulu*

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Honolulu, April 14.—The Prince of Wales arrived here on the Renown escorted by American warships and seaplanes. His Royal Highness was accorded an ovation on landing.

Later.—The Prince of Wales has left for Suva (Fiji).

### *Crown Prince Acts For Emperor When Eliot Is Presented*

*New British Ambassador At Tokio Is Received At Royal Palace*

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Tokio, April 14.—Sir Charles Eliot, the new British Ambassador, presented his credentials at the Palace at 11 o'clock this morning. He was accompanied by Rear-Admiral J. C. Ley and Brig-General C. R. Woodroffe, the Naval and Military Attaches, and other members of the Embassy.

This is the first formal occasion on which the Crown Prince has acted on behalf of the Emperor. The ceremony of the presentation was carried out with the most careful attention to details which were exactly the same as if the Emperor himself had been present.

There is reason to believe that the Crown Prince will act for the Emperor on similar occasions in future as it is expected that the Emperor will remain for the present at the sea-side under physician's orders. The Emperor is reported to have considerably improved in health but the physicians counsel avoidance of the fatigue and strain consequent on public functions in view of the mass of State affairs requiring his attention.

### *Silesia May Be Returned To China*

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Shanghai, April 16.—It is understood that the Lloyd Triestino steamship company has decided to hand over the steamer Silesia to the Italian Government for disposal.

It is further intimated that the Italian Government propose to return the vessel to the Chinese Government, possibly compensating the Lloyd Triestino company for the loss of the liner.

### *Foreign Labor To Save Crops In U.S.*

(Reuter's Service)

Washington, April 14.—Mr. Wilson, Secretary of Labor, has ordered the suspension of the immigration laws to permit laborers from Mexico and Canada to be admitted into the United States for the exclusive purposes of the cultivation and harvesting of the sugar-beet crops in Colorado, Wyoming, Iowa and Nebraska.

## AGITATORS WILL BE PUT DOWN IN JAPAN, SAYS HARA

### We Will Never Permit Dangerous Thoughts Premier Tells Politicians

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Osaka, April 16.—The Seiyukai (Government party) Convention opened at the Public Hall here this morning. The attendance numbered several thousands.

The Convention issued a manifesto saying, "As a result of the European war the outlook of the world has completely changed. National and racial struggles are likely to become more fierce. Our party must endeavor internally to develop the enterprises of the people and externally to uphold international peace as one of the five Great Powers."

With regard to the universal suffrage movement, the manifesto says that the radical ideas of Europe are now invading Eastern Asia and it condemns those "careless people" who under the guise of universal suffrage are really spreading extreme ideas and are taking advantage of the Labor question to propagate disruptive theories. The manifesto maintains that the franchise must be enlarged gradually. "We will never permit," it says, "the spread of dangerous thoughts."

Touching on the present economic disturbance, the manifesto pledges appropriate remedies.

The Premier, Mr. Hara, attended the Convention and delivered a speech in the course of which he vigorously attacked the advocates of universal suffrage, who, he said, not only desired an extension of the franchise but menaced the existing social system. They had also resorted to violence, threatening the Diet and disturbing public order.

The Premier expressed the firm belief that what the advocates of universal suffrage clamored for did not represent real national opinion and therefore he had dissolved the diet, in order to ascertain the will of the people.

Turning to the economic situation, Mr. Hara said that those who had brought about the economic depression could not claim assistance, but that the Government would willingly help others, directly or indirectly.

The Premier pointed out that the recent adverse balance of trade was due to increased imports of raw materials such as wool and cotton. The recent monetary stringency, the Premier said, was caused by the demand for large funds for the payment of new capital issues. Therefore he maintained there was no cause for pessimism and he believed that the tension would soon be relieved.

### *German Ships Taken By U.S. Are Sold To Private Interests*

(Reuter's Service)

Washington, April 13.—All the German vessels taken over by the United States Government during the war have been sold to private interests. The Shipping Board sold 28 vessels for $21,751,065, including eleven ex-German ships, during the week ending April 10

### *Rome-Tokio Flyer Is Shot Down By Kurds*

(Reuter's Service)

Rome, April 13.—According to a telegram from Bagdad dated April 11, Captain Ranz flying to Bagdad enroute for Tokio, was shot down by rebel Kurds—not by Arabs—fifty kilometers from Aleppo.

The airman who was uninjured was taken prisoner but liberated after three days fighting by the Arabs who also recaptured the machine which was only slightly damaged.

## IRELAND IS PARALYSED BY STRIKE OF UNIONS

### Prisoners Release Is Demand Made By Sinn Feiners

### TRAINS STOPPED

### General Post Office Is Closed By Employees

### NORTH OPPOSES

### Belfast Trades Bodies Ignore Order To Join Move

(Reuter's Service)

London, April 15.—Yesterday evening 46 hunger-strikers were released from Mountjoy jail and conveyed to hospital. Twenty-four others will be released today.

**RAILWAY SERVICE IS BADLY INTERRUPTED**

London, April 13.—The general strike declared by the Executive of the Irish Trade Union Congress as a protest against the treatment of political prisoners began yesterday all over Ireland, except in the North.

Speaking in the House of Commons on the motion for the adjournment the Attorney General for Ireland stated that the general strike was substantially operative in the South and West but not in the North of Ireland. The railways in the West and South were not working, but the service on the Great Northern railway was practically normal.

**POST OFFICES CLOSED BY STRIKING EMPLOYEES**

A number of postal officials had struck, but several post offices in Dublin were working.

Ordinary business in Dublin was held up and a great many hotels and shops were closed.

The Attorney General added that he hoped that the evening's debate would clear the air, and tend to bring to an end "the drifting trouble." The Irish Government were most anxious on the subject.

Owing to the threatening attitude of the crowd outside Mountjoy prison, at Dublin, the military have been reinforced with three tanks and several armored cars. Barbed wide has also been erected.

**LEADERS OF UNIONS DEMAND PRISONERS RELEASE**

Later—The strike stoppage in Ireland is more serious than was anticipated. Instead of lasting only one day, it is stated that it will continue until the Sinn Fein prisoners have been released. Railways and other transport is practically at a standstill.

The streets of Dublin are crowded with idlers.

A procession of 1,000 postmen closed the doors of the general post office and prevented their reopening. They did not interfere with the telegraphs.

The trade unions of Belfast and North Ireland have ignored the order to strike.

**POLICEMEN ARE KILLED IN STREETS OF DUBLIN**

London, April 14.—In the House of Commons this afternoon, replying to Mr. T. P. O'Connor, Mr. Bonar Law announced that the Irish Government had decided that persons arrested or detained by order of the military authority would in future be given ameliorative treatment from the date of their arrest until they were convicted. They would be treated entirely differently from convicted and untried prisoners.

Speaking to the crowds assembled outside Mountjoy jail where the Sinn Fein prisoners are hunger-striking, the Lord Mayor of Dublin announced that the Lord Lieutenant had stated that all prisoners whose lives were in danger would be released.

It is reported that the general strike has been declared off from tonight.

A plain clothes policeman was shot dead in the streets of Dublin today.

Later—The following official statement was issued from 10 Downing Street this evening: "The Irish Government does not intend to release prisoners unconditionally. Any prisoners re-

quiring medical treatment outside prison may be released on parole for a specified period in each case."

Another policeman and sergeant of constabularly were found shot dead at the police depot in Phoenix Park today.

## STRIKERS BEGIN STUMP SPEAKING

### Numerous Teams Of Young Orators Thrill Crowds In Chinese City

Stump speeches at practically every important street corner in Nantao and Chapei featured the work of the students yesterday, the third day of the students' strike which affects over 3,000,000 students in 14 provinces. Throughout the day, groups of humanity gathered round teams of four or five boyish looking orators and listened to condemnations of the Peking Government in prolonging the military pact and in negotiating privately with Japan over Shantung. Each team bore a white flag on which was written the name of the school to which it belongs.

Propaganda work is also being conducted by the students in the factories, mills, shops and in the country around Shanghai.

The St. John's branch of the Students' Union has established headquarters in 72 North Ming Hao Li, Hardoon Road. In a message to the parents of the strikers, the students assured them that they are lending their moral support to the agitation for better government and will not commit themselves to any radical movement.

St. Mary's Hall, Jessfield, will not return to work as reported. The faculty has issued orders similar to those by the faculty of St. John's University. All girls who participate in the strike must refrain from making use of the school premises and notify their parents in order to get their permission to go home.

## Ten Irish Women Held For Picketing

(*Reuter's Service*)

Washington, April 13.—Ten women altogether have been arrested for picketing the British Embassy. They will be tried by a Federal Grand Jury.

The statement that the Irish women will be "tried" by a Federal Grand Jury is erroneous. Grand juries in the United States have power only to return an indictment which calls for trial of the defendant before a Federal Court.—Ed.

## U.S. Rail Strikes Spread In South And East Sections

### Industries Closing Down Because Of Lack Of Transportation Facilities

(*Reuter's Service*)

New York, April 13.—While the railway strike appears to be dying down in the Middle West, the situation in the South and East has become worse.

The numbers of the strikers have increased causing a serious stoppage of traffic and the closing down of industries depending on the railways.

The conditions in New York are more serious owing to the decrease in the arrivals of food-supplies. The townspeople in many places are volunteering assistance.

New York, April 13.—The strength of the "outlaw" unions is waning in the Central States and in the Far West but the ranks of the strikers on the Atlantic seaboard have been increased, threatening completely to paralyse the passenger as well as the goods traffic.

Pittsburg, April 13.—An absolute embargo on freight shipments is announced on the Pennsylvania Railroad.

Washington, April 13.—In the Senate today Senator Miles Poindexter, Republican member of the Inter-State Commerce Committee, introduced a Bill, making all persons advising or requesting others to join strikes or interfering with Inter-State Commerce liable to ten years imprisonment and a fine of $10,000.

The measure was referred to the Inter-State Commerce Committee.

## Armenians Seeking Inter-Allied Army To Protect Cilicia

### Villages Are Destroyed And Cities Threatened Report Of Delegation

(*Reuter's Service*)

London, April 13.—The Armenian delegation appeals for the despatch of Inter-Allied forces to Cilicia and urges that refugees should be sent to Cyprus. The destruction of further villages in Cilicia is announced and Adana and Messina are stated to be threatened. French officials are repatriating their families. Cilicia is isolated owing to the destruction of the telegraphs.

## Lady Astor Votes Against New Bill Affecting Divorce

(*Reuter's Service*)

London, April 14.—In the House of Commons today Mr. Athelstan Rendall, introduced a resolution in favor of legislation embodying the majority report of the Divorce Commissioners, recommending five new grounds for divorce, namely desertion, persistent cruelty, drunkenness, incurable insanity, and life imprisonment.

Mr. Ronald McNeill's amendment favoring equality of the sexes in divorce and opposing changes in the law which might impair the permanence of marriage was carried by 134 votes to 91. Lady Astor opposed the resolution.

## Guatemala Armistice Signed After Attack And Bombardment

(*Reuter's Service*)

Washington, April 14.—The State Department has received information that an armistics has been signed between the Unionists in Guatemala and President Cabrera's forces.

A proposal has been made to President Cabrera to leave the country.

Washington, April 13.—Reports from Guatemala state that many non-combatants have been killed by the shell-fire of President Cabrera's forces which are besieging the city.

The bombardment has been proceeding since last Thursday.

President Cabrera is entrenched at La Palma.

## RUSSIAN GIRL'S DEATH BY BULLET BAFFLES POLICE

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the case became a topic of conversation among Russian residents and THE CHINA PRESS was apprised of the incident.

Reporters made inquiries at French police headquarters, at the Avenue Joffre Station, at the hospital, from Dr. Ricou and from Miss Yanogava's former pupils. A visit to the house at 494 Rue Lafayette shortly after 10 o'clock found the residence in darkness. No information could be obtained from the Russian Consulate.

The criminal investigation department of the French Police was then apprised of the information obtained by this office and plans were started for the investigation which will start early today.

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## TREATY LENIENT TO AUSTRIA IS VIEW OF BRITONS

### Harmsworth And Asquith In Debate On Peace Bill Before Commons

(*Reuter's Service*)

London, April 14.—In the House of Commons today, moving the second reading of the Bill, carrying into effect the Austrian and Bulgarian Treaties, Mr. Cecil Harmsworth, Under-Secretary for Foreign Affairs, emphasised the difficulties with regard to Austria owing to the break-up. He claimed that the Treaty in some respects was lenient and even indulgent.

The shrinkage of the Austrian Empire was due to the fact that many nationalities desired to secede. The principle of self-determination had not been greatly violated although the German population, numbering a quarter of a million, of the Tyrol was included within the new frontier of Italy. This was due to the principle of strategic necessity. The situation on the Jugo-Slav frontier was at the moment too delicate for profitable discussion.

COAL INTERESTS PROTECTED

The Conference had gone to the greatest trouble in providing for Austrian coal interests. With regard to reparations, Mr. Harmsworth said that since the Armistice the Allies had acted with unparalleled magnanimity towards their former enemies. He did not believe that the indemnity demanded from Bulgaria was excessive or the methods of exaction embarrassing. The most important article in the Treaty was that giving Bulgaria access to the Aegean Sea which had yet been definitely settled.

Mr. Asquith said that no State in Europe had less justification for joining the Central Powers than Bulgaria who did so at the most critical moment of the war. Bulgaria bore the heavy responsibility of the prolongation of the war, and therefore the Powers generally had not dealt harshly with her. He warned against the risk of the Balkanisation of Austria and criticised the absence of any provision for commercial intercourse between the new states. Mr. Asquith said that it was all-important that we should create economic unity. He urged the Reparation Commission carefully and promptly to define the amount payable by Austria. The allies should insist on the disarmament of the new States with a view to safeguarding the peace of Eastern Europe.

DEPLORES ARMAMENT

Mr. Bonar Law, replying to the debate, agreed that it was deplorable the way in which the small States were arming but they were independent States and any attempt to limit their armaments would not be tolerated. He admitted that without limation of armaments the war would largely have been fought in vain. The League of Nations was embodied in these Treaties. It was the duty of the Government to do their utmost to make the League effective.

The second reading of the bill was carried by 188 votes to 34.

## Marie Tempest

Clever, no end—sums up most readily perhaps what everyone thought of Marie Tempest's performance of Mrs. Dot at the Lyceum last night. It is a play that sparkles throughout and it was presented in a manner most acceptable to the big audience that saw it.

It is probable that the star's talents could not be given better play than in the role of the sprightly magnetic brewer's widow, Mrs. Worthley, who, finding that the man upon whom she has set her heart is about to be drawn unwillingly into another matrimonial alliance, sets in motion a chain of events that free him.

Wholly delicious are the love scenes of the play and particularly that of Mr. Roger Barry and Miss Dorothy Hamilton. Barry as a youth fresh from school, who has 'never seen a woman that he could not read at a glance,' and Miss Hamilton as a demure maid who does not want to wed the man chosen by her ambitious mama but begins to feel that she cares for the fresh faced youth chosen for her by the wiles of the widow, enact a scene that is a sheer delight.

Mr. Graham Browne as James Blenkinsop, wealthy bachelor, who has evaded all matrimonial snares, plays the part with a skill and finish that is little less than wonderful. The lines of Maugham's comedy, of course, glitter with mirthful periods, but to the quality of the play Mr. Browne adds a personality peculiarly his own which gives it a special value.

Certainly "Mrs. Dot" is among the best of the list of Marie Tempest's exceptional offerings.

—C. J. L.

## CONGRESSMEN TO VISIT CHINA

### Large Delegation Coming To Far East To Study Orient Conditions

(*Reuter's Service*)

Washington, April 3.—Many members of the House of Representatives with their families are planning to make the trip to Hawaii, the Philippine Islands, China and Japan, in company with the members of the Senate committee on naval affairs who are going to the Orient to study many questions, including independence for the Philippines and statehood for Hawaii.

It is said the mammoth steamship Mount Vernon has been placed at the disposal of the members of congress, on which to make the voyage.

It is planned to leave San Francisco on July 5 and to return about September 1.

It is said that at least one hundred members of congress, in addition to the Senate committee on naval affairs will make the trip.

## Local Street Union To Start Campaign For Building Funds

Two campaigns for $250,000 each will be conducted shortly by the Shanghai Street Union for the construction of a building for their headquarters. Plans are being formulated for the first campaign and it is proposed that all the shops be divided into ten brigades, which are to be subdivided each into six teams.

## Wedding

LESLIE-SMITH—MOXON

Major Colin Leslie-Smith of the 22nd Punjabis and Miss Kathleen Sophie Moxon were married at St. John's Cathedral, Hongkong on April 12. Major and Mrs. Leslie-Smith passed through Shanghai yesterday on their honeymoon trip to America and England. They left on the Katori Maru.

Major Leslie-Smith, is the son of the late Mr. Gilbert Leslie-Smith of the Indian Civil Service, and of Mrs. E. Leslie-Smith. The bride, Kathleen Sophie Moxon, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Moxon, of "Dunsland" 109, the Peak. The Rev. M. Shewell officiated at the wedding. There were five bridesmaids, Misses Jean Gordon, Pamela Scott Harston, Joan Beavis, Honor Hancock and Rossmund Hancock. Lt. Col. E. Clementi-Smith, commanding 22nd Punjabis, was best man.

OZARIO-DA ROZA

The wedding of Mr. N. A. Ozorio, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Ozario, of Swatow, and Miss Delcimina Maria da Roza, second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. P. J. da Roza, of Shanghai, took place on April 11 at the Rosary Church, Kowloon. The bride was given away by her brother, Mr. P. O. da Roza. Her sister, Miss Inez da Roza, and the bridegroom's sister, Miss Letita Ozario, were the bridesmaids. Mr. F. F. Ozario, brother of the bridegroom, was best man.

Rev. Fr. Spada conducted the ceremony, while Mrs. Gonzales, the organ, played the wedding march.

The reception was held at the residence of Mr. P. O. da Roza Granville Avenue, Kowloon.

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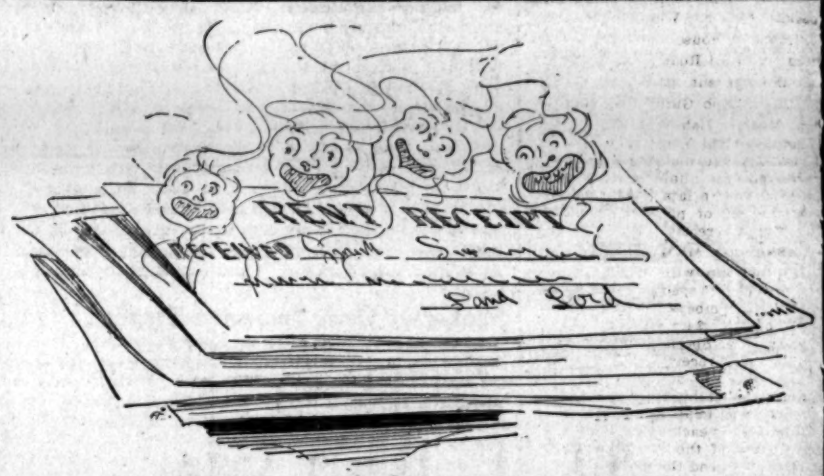


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### DR. C. T. WANG LEADS

### Forty Teams Will Work To Reach Goal In One Month

Eight hundred prominent Ningpo residents in Shanghai attended the banquet given by Dr. C. T. Wang, China's peace delegate at Versailles, at the former German Club last night to hear plans of the $100,000 membership campaign of the Ningpo Guild. The campaign, which officially begins on next Monday and lasts one month is under the leadership of Dr. Wang.

The club was elaborately decorated and was crowded to the utmost capacity. All the rooms on the first floor had to be used for seating the guests. The program consisted of a speech of welcome by Mr. Chang Yang-san, chairman of the guild; the plans for the conducting of the campaign by Dr. Wang; the new building to house the guild members on Lloyd Road; and speeches on the present, past and future of the Ningpo Guild in Shanghai by Messrs. Loh Wai-bah, Hung Cheng-chi and Yuan Li-tung. The brass band furnished some lively airs and the affair was brought to a close at a late hour with the distribution of pledges for membership and receipts.

**CLASSES OF MEMBERSHIP**

Membership will be divided into ordinary, special, sustaining and life membership whose dues will be $1, $4, $10 and $100 respectively. Special contributions will also be received. The entire community is divided into 40 teams headed by the same number of prominent residents. The allotment for each team is $2,500, but many of the teams are expected to exceed the figure. Some of the teams, Dr. Wang announced, had already secured the necessary quota before the campaign started.

In reporting on the construction work of the new Guild House, Mr. Fan Chiao-ling, Vice-Chairman of the Guild, stated that the new building is expected to be completed before September although, according to the contract with Sin Jen Kee, the work need not be completed until November. The land measures over two and half mow and was purchased at a cost of Tls. 56,000. The contract price for the new building is Tls. 93,550, of which Tls. 40,000 have already been paid.

Four of the five stories have already been completed and when the whole work is finished, it will have a library, a school, a roof garden and all kinds of healthy games.

**SEEK NO PRIVILEGES**

"We are not seeking for power or privileges in this campaign," said Dr. Wang in the course of his speech. "We should sacrifice for the good of our provincials. There are at least 400,000 Ningpo men in Shanghai. We ask the co-operation of all Ningpo men in Shanghai to organise a strong guild.

"There will be no class distinction among the guild members. The guild must be a purely democratic institution. The membership fees are so arranged so that every resident in Shanghai can join. But in the guild, whether one pays $1 or $10,000, he enjoys the same privilege as a member."

Dr. Wang concluded by expressing the confidence that the campaign will be a great success as all undertakings made by Ningpo men in Shanghai have never yet failed.

# Offers To Be Sent To Mars Aboard A Rocket.

Captain Claude R. Collins
INTERNATIONAL

Captain Claude R. Collins, of Philadelphia, president of the Aviators Club of Pennsylvania, who recently made the startling offer to have himself shot to the planet Mars on a rocket, similar to the one said to have been perfected by Professor Robert H. Goddard, of Clark College. Capt. Collins, however, makes certain reservations in his offer. He requires that he be permitted to assist in planning the rocket and the details of the flight; that communication shall first be established with the planet; that a board of ten prominent scientists agree to the practicability of the test and that his life be insured for $10,000 before he makes the attempt.

# *Victories Of Trotsky Put Strain On Russia, And Show Peace Need*

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a marked impetus during the revolution. Particularly dramatic art is on an extraordinarily high plane. In one week in the course of my stay in Moscow, Shakespeare was played in ten different theaters, and all of them were self-supporting, though, of course, nationalised.

In "the Socialist Federative Republic of Soviets of Russia," to give the Bolshevik land its official title, no mention has been made of finance. The reason for this is simple. There is no finance, in the European or American sense of the word, in present-day Russia. The Soviet Government pays its own people what it has to pay in paper money, of which it prints unlimited quantities. Being determined eventually to abolish money altogether in favor of Communistic exchange of products, it is not worried about depreciation in the value of its currency. It possesses about 1,000,000,000 rubles—the exact amount is kept very secret—in gold, with which it intends to pay for goods purchased abroad until it can establish a system of barter with foreign commercial interests. From the capitalistic viewpoint its budgetary expenditures are chaotic, but in Communistic eyes they are both sane and logical.

## *Mrs. Wright Speaks To Woman's Club*

A lecture on modern Chinese Art was delivered by Mrs. H. K. Wright, to the Literary Department of the American Woman's Club, Thursday afternoon.

The lecture was illustrated with modern brasses and embroideries, by Mrs. Jackson Hammond, and by porcelains loaned by Mr. P. J. Bahr, notable among which was a Kang Hsi blue bowl of rare beauty, and a fan of Kussah.

Mrs. Wright gave various authorities to prove that there has been no great art since the Sung and early Yuen period. This decadence, she said, was due to the Conservatism of the Confucian party, which came to power in Peking during the Ming dynasty and succeeded in choking out the freedom which had obtained in the Tang and Sung dynasties—a result which seldom fails when art is governed from the standpoint of literary men.

Works of merit in sections not dominated by this party were produced in paintings and in the porcelains of the period, which, counted by monetary value, are prized equally by the Chinese and European collectors.

Mrs. Wright threw upon the screen examples of Ming and Tsing porcelains and of Ming paintings by the artists Li Luang of Kwangtung, and Wu Wei. The contrast between Sung paintings and the "Literary Men's paintings" was vividly shown by the same device.

Announcement was made of two collections to be visited by the Department, one of which will take place this afternoon at 2:45 o'clock. The party is to assemble at the corner of Yates and Bubbling Well Roads.

## *New Marine Bill Before U.S. Senate*

*(Reuter's Service)*

Washington, April 14.—A bill the draft of which has been virtually completed by the Senate Sub-Committee, provides for the disposal of the Government Merchant Marine to private interests within 10 years. The bill also provides for a Shipping Board of seven members who will devote special attention to the development of trade routes. The Senate measure is widely different from the bill recently passed by the House of Representatives.

# Feeling Sad? It's General; Here's Answer

"Front!"

The Head Clerk at the Elements Hotel slammed his fist viciously on a bell as he shouted the call, then, getting his response in the guise of something that resembled a cross between a Mercury and a Western Union messenger boy, he continued:

"Boy, find Old Sol. Hustle! Hike! The old reprobate has been dodging me for three and a half months now and I want him to pungle up his rent."

Leisurely lighting a cigarette the youth strolled through the corridors, at intervals droning:

"Masser Baw-raw-bah. Call fer Masser Baw-ump-guffty-woof, Masser Baw-rush, call for Masser Umty-uf."

Returning to the desk he reported: "No got," and speedily vanished to where certain familiar sounds indicated to his not wholly guileless mind that his fellow "fronts" were gambling.

**IT'S ALL WRONG**

"Don't it beat——," began the irate Clerk as he shook a fist at the retreating form of Buttons.

"What's wrong?" queried the Chief Steward who happened along at the moment.

"What ain't?" demanded the Clerk. "Every guest in the house has a grouch on about something and they all take it on me. Their rooms are too cold, or too dark or on the wrong side of the house, the steam doesn't work more than half the time, trains are late, mails don't arrive and I wish I'd never heard a steamboat whistle."

"Yep, I know," sympathised the Steward twisting off a mouthful of the Clerk's fine cut. "Same thing in the dining room. I am putting up the best there is in the market and still they holler. And tips? Say if I didn't have a good ranch back home that sends me a little check every month I'd have to go without clothes. There ain't no such animal as tip any more. Wonder what——."

"Surest thing you know," chimed in the Clerk. "And we're not the only ones that are getting it. Every merchant on Nanking Road has been ready to start moving his spring stock for a month now and not a customer in sight."

**SUBMARINE BUILDING LOTS**

"And say you oughta hear the real estate dealers yell," contributed the Steward. "I know one chap that has the nerve of a burglar but he's plumb discouraged when he contemplates the possibilities of taking a prospect out to look at a building site that's half covered with water and the rest is pure mud."

"Now you've said it," cried the Clerk. "And that reminds me. I've got to get busy on the trail of Old Sol. He's only shown his face around Shanghai for one whole day since the first of the year and it is about time he settled his bill here by turning on some real sunshine. Front, come outa that Tingdoongdien game and rustle up Old Sol."

"But there's one bunch that hasn't been exactly peeved over the bum weather," mused the Steward.

"Who?" demanded the Clerk.

"Why the barkeeps," explained the Steward. "There sure has been one great run on liquid overcoats these last few months."


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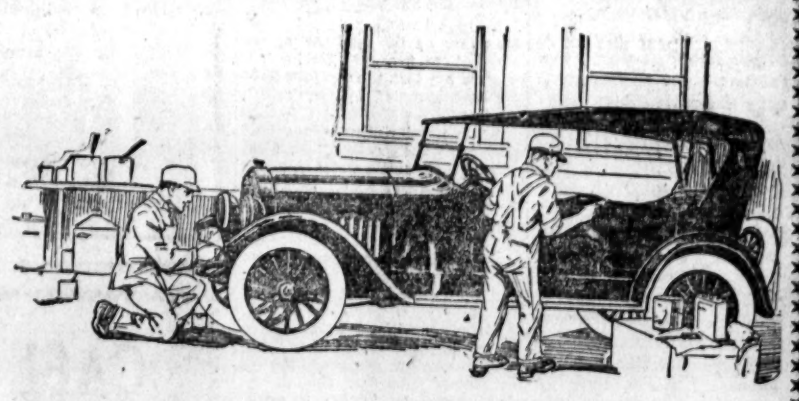

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# News Brevities

Among the passengers who arrived on the Katori Maru from Hongkong yesterday were Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Wehrhane, Mr. W. D. Bonner, Mr. G. C. Holbrook, Mr. E. F. Pierce and Mr. L. C. Winters.

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Mr. Carl Neprud, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Sutliff, the Rev. and Mrs. T. Caldwell were among those who left on the Katori Maru for Japan and Seattle.

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Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Gilbert, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Collins and two children, Mr. and Mrs. Hooper and Mr. G. Holt were among the passengers who left this morning on the Yokohama Maru for London.

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The new steamer Halvdan, 2,000 tons, constructed by the New Engineering and Ship-building Works, Ltd., will be launched at the works, Jansen Road, on Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

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The ladies' department of the Chin Woo Athletic Association will hold a tea-party this afternoon at 3 o'clock at the Great Eastern Hotel. The committee in charge of the party are the Mesdames Tang Shao-yi, Wang Ching-wei, Yao Chuan-pek, Cho Pao-wen, Chang Chao-han and Chen Shih-chao.

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Admiral K. K. Lang, Chief of the Chinese Admiralty, has contributed the sum of $1,000 to the Summer Disease Hospital of the Red Cross Society. The hospital did excellent work last year when an epidemic of choleraic diarrhoea took place in Shanghai and vicinity.

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The following approaching weddings are announced in Hongkong: Mr. A. Forbes (China Sugar Refining Co.) to Miss C. T. Goldenberg; Mr. W. G. Probert (engineer on s.s. Loongsang) to Miss E. A. Collis; Capt. P. H. Cowan (s.s. Kanchow) to Miss P. M. I. Drake (Peak Hospital).

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Sentences were imposed on keepers of opium dens and opium smokers yesterday in the Mixed Court. Two keepers of a resort at 130 Foochow Road were fined $50 each by British Assessor Grant Jones and Magistrate Li, who fined two smokers from the place $5 each and ordered bail of $20 each forfeited when two other smokers failed to appear. British Assessor Blackburn and Magistrate Loh fined the keeper of an opium den at 192 Sing Dong Ka $30 and three smokers there $5 each.

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Mr. Walter D. Bonner, formerly superintendent of the Ricou Airplane Lines, which expects to operate between Hongkong, Macao and Canton, arrived in Shanghai yesterday. Before going to Hongkong with the Ricou Company he was assistant superintendent and test pilot at the U.S. Navy aircraft factory, Philadelphia. He was in the U.S. Navy Flying Corps for over six years and during the war saw service with convoy planes and submarine detectors in the North Sea.

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During March the average mean temperature in Hongkong was 62.4, the highest point being 80.4, on the 11th, and the lowest 50.6, on the 4th. There were 82.6 hours of sunshine and 1.39-inch of rain. The average humidity was 84.

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The 1st Garrison Battalion, Manchester Regiment, has arrived in England from Hongkong, where it had served during the greater part of the war, and, having landed at Plymouth, proceeded to its dispersal center. The battalion was relieved at Hongkong by the Wiltshires.

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The Governor of Hongkong has appointed a Board of Education for the purpose of assisting the Director of Education with advice on matters pertaining to the development and improvement of education in the Colony. The Board will consist of the following members: Director of Education (Chairman), Inspector of English Schools, Inspector of Vernacular Schools, Mr. Lan Chu-pak, Professor G. W. Ferguson, Rev. T. W. Pearce, Rev. A. D. Stewart, Very Rev. Father P. de Maria, Mr. S. W. Tso, Mr. A. F. Arculi, Mr. A. F. B. Silva-Netto and Mrs. Alice D. Hickling.

# YAQUI INDIANS TO JOIN CALLES

### Rebel Leader In Northern Mexico May Have 25,000 Men Soon

*(Reuter's Service)*

Mexico City, April 14.—The Sonora revolutionaries are fortifying the frontiers and also the mountain passes from Chihuahua. General Calles' forces have obtained 4,000 recruits in the last 36 hours.

The Yaqui Indians, who have been fighting against the Government, have made peace with Sonora and 4,000 Yaquis are expected to join General Calles.

It is believed that the revolutionaries will have a force of 25,000 within a week.

General Calles has ordered the closing of all saloons.

Later—General Dieguez, the Federal commander in Chihuahua has started for the north after conferring with President Carranza. He will begin an energetic campaign against Sonora.

# ROBBER BAND IS SENT TO PRISON

### Nine Men Charged With 42 Crimes Are Convicted In Mixed Court

Nine members of a robber band convicted of 42 crimes in the International Settlement were sentenced yesterday by British Assessor Blackburn and Magistrate Loh to prison terms of from two years to five years. The 42 robberies, according to the charges made by the police, netted the outlaws articles worth only $614.

Three of the robbers were sentenced to five years each, five were given four-year terms and one a two-years stay in prison. The men had records of from one to seven previous convictions.

They were captured by the West Hongkew police. The robberies were committed in Tsepoo, Boone, North Chekiang, Elgin, North Soochow, Haining, Tsingtao, Tientsin, Fokien, Thibet, Peking Amoy, North Shanse and Tatung Roads and in Toong Dong Ka Loong, Lou Dong Ka Loong, Bung Tong Loong and Sing Dong Ka Loong, alleyways.

# NOTES OVER FRENCH ACT IN GERMANY KEPT SECRET

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sions and in clearly planning out co-operation between the Allies."

**PLAN DESTRUCTION OF GERMAN WAR MATERIAL**

An importance conference was held yesterday evening with regard to the technical means of securing the carrying out of the provisions of the Treaty of Versailles, in connection with the delivery and destruction of German war material, especially artillery. Mr. Winston Churchill, British Secretary of State for War, M. Lefever, French Minister of War, Marshall Foch and General Weygand were present.

Complete agreement was reached on all points of principle and also with regard to the necessity of increasing the number of French and British officers employed on this work by the Inter-Allied Control Commission in Germany.

## *Lord Derby Attends Diplomats Council*

*(Reuter's Service)*

Paris, April 13.—Lord Derby, the British Ambassador, attended the sitting of the Council of Ambassadors at the Quai d'Osay yesterday.

## *United Kingdom's Trade Shows Big Increase In Year*

*(Reuter's Service)*

London, April 14.—The Board of Trade returns for the United Kingdom for March show imports £177,000,000, being an increase of £71,000,000 compared with March, 1919: exports £104,000,000, being an increase of £51,000,000 compared with March, 1919 and of £62,000,000 compared with March, 1913.

The principal increases in imports over last year were: raw cotton, £28,000,000; grain and flour £11,000,000.

The principal increases in exports were: cotton manufactures £15,000,000.

# WU TING-FANG SAYS UNITED PARLIAMENT WILL CONVENE

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properly should be placed in their hands and foreign restraints should be removed."

**TALKS OF STUDENTS**

When he was questioned about his views on the students' movement of the past year Doctor Wu pointed out that the students have not been actuated by any selfish motives.

"It is not for themselves that they have been acting," he said, "They have not carried out all they have done for self advancement or for their own gain. They have not been like so many of our statesmen, seeking only their own ends. They have acted from motives of patriotism and loyalty, and for this reason they deserve sympathy.

"Of course," he went on, "they are young and sometimes perhaps they have gone too far and have done more than they should, but their intentions have been good. The student movement is a hopeful sign in China."

**RETICENT ON SHANTUNG**

On the subject of the Shantung question Doctor Wu said he was unwilling to express opinion in detail, but he said he believed that the matter most safely could be referred to the League of Nations and that it should not be taken up in any direct negotiations with Japan.

On his arrival yesterday Dr. Wu was accompanied by Mr. Ling Shen, speaker of the old Senate and over 30 old parliamentarians. He was met at the wharf by Mr. Tang Shao-yi, the Southern Peace Delegate, Mr. Yao Ming-lang, neval delegate to the internal peace conference, Dr. C. T. Wang, peace delegate at Versailles, Mr. Wu Ti-chen, representing Dr. Sun Yat-sen, Messrs. Wu Ching-lien, Lu Hsin-kung, Lu Ka-hun, Kung Chao-cheng, parliamentarians, Mr. Kuo Tai-chi, former secretary of President Li Yuan-hung, General Hsu Koo-ching, former Military Governor of Nanking and George Hsu Chien, former Minister of Justice.


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The Carborundum Company
*American Trading Co.*
**ADDING MACHINES**
Burroughs Adding Machine Co.
Adding, Bookkeeping, Calculating
*Andrews & George, 1 Foochow Rd.*
Dalton Adding Machine Co.,
*Mustard & Co., 22 Museum Rd.*
Soundstrand Adding & Listing Machine
Barrett Adding-Listing-Computer
Golden Gem Adders
*The Office Appliance Co., 22 Nanking Rd.*
**ALUMINUM WARE**
Illinois Pure Aluminum Co.
*Willits & Patterson*
**ANESTHETICS**
Procaine (Novocain)
Rector Chemical Co.
*American Trading Co.*
**BALL BEARINGS**
*The Chinese SKF Co., Ltd.*
**BANDAGES, CREPE PAPER**
Denuision's
*American Trading Co.*
**BEER**
Asahi Beer
*The Dai Nippon Brewery Co., Ltd.*
**BELTING**
Edward R. Ladew Co.,
*American Trading Co.*
Gandy Belting Co. (Baltimore)
*Arnhold Brothers & Co., Ltd.*
John Tullis & Son, Ltd.
*Arnhold Brothers & Co.*
*Edward Maurer Co., Inc.*
*Large Stocks—T. E. M. A.*
**BOILERS**
Erie City Iron Works
*American Trading Co.*
**BOOKS & PUBLICATIONS**
D. Appleton & Co., (Miscellaneous);
Barse & Hopkins (Children's & Novelties);
Badger (Gorham Press), (Miscellaneous);
The Century Co., (Miscellaneous);
E. J. Clode Pub. Co., (Miscellaneous);
Dodd Mead & Co. (Miscellaneous);
G. H. Doran & Co. (Miscellaneous);
Doubleday, Page & Co. (Sets & Miscell.);
Funk & Wagnalls (New Standard Dictionary Literary Digest New 10 vol "History of the World War." Self-help English books.)
The Grolier Society (The Book of Knowledge)
Grosseti & Dunlap, (Popular Action);
Harper Bros. (Sets & Miscellaneous);
Houghton, Mifflin & Co. (Miscellaneous);
Laird & Lee, Inc., (Diaries);
Little, Brown & Co., (Miscellaneous);
J. B. Lippincott & Co., (Medical);
McGraw-Hill Pub. Co. (Engineering);
The Ronald Press, (Business)
W. B. Saunders Co., (Medical);
Chas. Scribner's & Sons, (Miscellaneous);
F. A. Stokes Co. (Miscellaneous);
*Chinese American Publishing Co.,*
American Library Association
American Technical Society
Comstock Publishing Co. (Scientific)
Columbia University Press
Danoyer-Geppert Co., Chicago (Maps)
Ginn & Co.,
Gregg Publishing Co. (Shorthand)
D. C. Heath & Co.
The Macmillan Co.
Yale University Press
*Edward Evans' Sons, Ltd,*
American Book Company, New York
G. & C. Merriam Co., Springfield
The University of Chicago Press
*The Mission Book Company*
**BOOKS, TECHNICAL & BUSINESS**
International Library of Technology
*Internat'l, Correspondence Schools*
**BOOTS & SHOES**
Brown Shoe Co.
*Willits & Patterson*
F. Mayer Boot & Shoe Co.
The Nealban Co.,
*Edward Maurer Co., Inc.*
**BOTTLES, HOT WATER, METAL**
Gillette Mfg. Co.
*American Trading Co.*
**BUILDERS' HARDWARE**
Chicago Spring Butt Co. (Spring Hinges)
United Specialties Mfg. Co. (Auto. Sash Adj.)
Yale & Towne Mfg. Co.,
*Mustard & Co., 22 Museum Rd.*
**BUILDING MATERIALS**
Wm. Morris & Co., Ltd.
*Arnhold Brothers & Co., Ltd.*
Truscon Steel Co.
*American Trading Co.*
**BUILDINGS, SECTIONAL STEEL**
Truscon Steel Co.
*American Trading Co.*
**BUTTER**
Heyman—Australian & Danish
*Mustard & Co.*
**CALCULATING MACHINES**
Marchants, Monroes, Millionaires
*The Office Appliance Co., 22 Nanking Rd.*
**CANDLES**
Price's (China) Ltd.
*Mustard & Co., 22 Museum Rd.*
**CANVAS & TARPAULIN**
Goodin Reid & Co., New York
*China Mutual Trading Co.*
**CASH REGISTERS**
National Cash Register Co.
*American Trading Co.*
**CHECK PROTECTORS**
The Protectograph & Check Writer
*Technical Supply Co., 11e Nanking Rd.*
**CIGARS & CIGARETTES**
Golofina Cigars
*British-American Tob. Co. (China) Ld.*
Kyriazi Freres, Cairo
*Wallem & Co.*
Melachrino: M. Melachrino & Co., Inc.
*Tobacco Products Corporation*
Naturals: Schinasi Bros.
*Tobacco Products Corporation*
**CONFECTIONERY**
Life Saver Mints
*Willits & Patterson*
**CONVEYING MACHINERY**
Brown Portable Elevator Co.
*American Trading Co.*
**CORRESPONDENCE SCHOOLS**
International Correspondence Schools
*China Agency, 11e Nanking Rd.*
**CUTLERY**
Wm. A. Rogers, Ltd., (Silverware)
*Willits & Patterson*
**DIAMONDS AND JEWELLERY**
A. Adler's Diamond Cutting Factory, Antwerp.
*The Lazard-Godchaux Co.*
**DICTATING MACHINES**
The Dictaphone Co. of America
*Technical Supply Co. 11e Nanking Rd.*
Ediphone Dictating Machines
*The Office Appliance Co., 22 Nanking Rd.*
**DISINFECTANTS**
American Drug Co.
*42 Nanking Road*
B. K. General Laboratories
*American Trading Co.*
Lifebuoy Royal Disinfectant Soap.
*Lever Bros. (China) Ltd.*
**DISINFECTORS**
merican Sterilizer Co.
*American Trading Co.*
**DRAPERIES, LINENS, ETC.**
Catlin & Co., New York
Wm. Simpson Sons & Co., New York
*Edward Maurer Co., Inc.*
**DRUGS & CHEMICALS**
Allen & Hanburys, Ltd.
*40 Canton Rd.*
American Drug Co.
*42 Nanking Road*
Ralph L. Fuller & Co., New York
*China Mutual Trading Co.*
H. K. Mulford Co.
Rector Chemical Co.
*American Trading Co.*
Palatine Aniline & Chemical Corporation Poughkeepsie, N.Y.
Societe Anonyme de Couleurs D'Aniline and Produits Chemiques, Brussels
*The Lazard-Goachaux Co.*
National Aniline & Chem. Co., Inc.
*The Shanghai Dispensary*
**DUPLICATING MACHINES**
American Multigraph Co.
*Technical Supply Co., 11e Nanking Rd.*
Edison-Dick Mimeograph
*Mustard & Co.*
Ideal Stencil Machine Co.
*Willits & Patterson*
Ronco Duplicator & Copier
*Andrews & George, 1 Foochow Rd.*
Rotary & Modern Duplicators
*The Office Appliance Co., 22 Nanking Rd.*
**DYES**
Ralph L. Fuller & Co., New York
*China Mutual Trading Co.*
Grasselli-Bayer
*Sonn Brothers Co.*
Palatine Aniline & Chemical Corporation Poughkeepsie, N. Y.
Societe Anonyme de Couleurs D'Aniline and Produits Chemiques, Brussels
*The Lazard-Godchaux Co.*
Society of Chemical Industry in Basle
*J. Merian, 11 Av. Edouard VII.*
Sunset Soap Dyes
*American Trading Co.*
National Aniline & Chem. Co., Inc.
*Hd. Office for China, 14 Canton Rd.*
**EDUCATIONAL**
Alexander Hamilton Institute
*A. D. Shortt, Astor House*
**ELECTRICAL DEVICES.**
Amylite Electric Co. (Dimmers)
*China Investment & Trading Co,*
Gant & Co., Ltd., (Electric Clocks)
*Scott, Harding & Co.*
**ELECTRICAL SUPPLIES**
British Insulated & Helsby Cables, Ltd.
*Scott Harding & Co.*
Duncan Electrical Co.
*Edward Maurer Co., Inc.*
Sangamo Electric Co.
Weston Electrical Instrument Co.
*Ashida Engineering Co, Ltd.*
Belden Mfg. Co. (Wires & Cables)
Luminous Unit Co. (Brascolite)
Hart & Hegeman Mfg. Co. (Wiring Devices)
Lux Mfg. Co. (Nitrogen Lamps)
Niagara Searchlight Co. (Flashlights)
*China Investment & Trading Co., Inc.*
*Large Stocks—T.E.M.A.*
**ELECTRIC LT. & POWER PLTS.**
Allis Chalmers Mfg. Co.
*American Trading Co.*
Marco Light
*Edward Maurer Co., Inc.*
Siemens Ltd., London.
*China Mutual Trading Co.*
Unilectric Corp. (Unit Electric Plants)
*China Investment & Trading Co., Inc.*
**ENGINES, BOILERS, STEAM**
Allis Chalmers Mfg. Co.
*American Trading Co.*
**ENGINES, GAS & OIL**
Nelson Bros. Co.
*Edward Maurer Co., Inc.*
Wolverine Marine Motors
*American Trading Co,*
*Ruston—T. E. M. A.*
*Scripps—T. E. M. A.*
*Bross—T. E. M. A.*
**EXPANDED METAL**
General Fireproofing Co.
*Arnhold Brothers & Co., Ltd.*
Truscon Steel Co.
*American Trading Co.*
**FILTERS**
Slack & Brownlow, Ltd.
*Mustard & Co.*
**FIRE EXTINGUISHERS**
Boyd Fire Extinguisher,
*Mustard & Co., 22 Museum Rd.*
Fyre—Fyter Co.
*Dodge & Seymour*
Pyrene Mfg. Co.
*Mustard & Co.*
*Hollandia—T. E. M. A.*
**FLOOR PRESERVATIVES**
Truscon Laboratories
*American Trading Co.*
**GLASS**
Hires Turner Glass Co.
*China Investment & Trading Co., Inc.*
Pilkington Bros., Ltd.
*Scott Harding & Co*
Emile Regnierrs & Co., Charlerol, Belgium.
*The Lazard-Godchaux Co.*
*Large Stocks—T. E. M. A.*
**GRAMOPHONES**
Corilina Languages (Aids
*Chung Hwa Book Co., Ltd.*
The New Edison Phonograph,
*J. A. S. Alves, 1a Dukes Rd.*
**HARDWARE**
Russel & Irwin Mfg. Co.,
*China Investment & Trading Co., Inc.*
Chicago Spring Butt Co. (Spring Hinges)
United Specialities Mfg. Co. (Auto. Sash Adj.)
Yale & Towne Mfg. Co.
*Mustard & Co., 22 Museum Rd.*
*Edward Maurer Co., Inc.*
*Large Stocks—T. E. M. A.*
**HEATING DEVICES**
D. Moore & Co.,
*American Trading Co.*
Southard-Robertson Co. (Stoves),
*Mustard & Company.*
Thermo Stoves & Alcohol Fuel Cubes
*Willits & Patterson.*
**INKS, PRINTING**
Geo. H. Morrill Co.,
*American Trading Co.*
**INSTRUMENTS, SCIENTIFIC**
Cambridge Scientific Instrument Co.,
*Arnhold Bros. & Co., Ltd.*
**INSURANCE, ACC. & SICK.**
Ocean Accident Insurance Co.,
*American Trading Co.*
*Commercial Union, 4 The Bund*
**INSURANCE, FIRE**
Assicurazioni Generali
*G. A. Bona, 44 Szechuen Rd,*
Employers Liability Assurance Corp., Ltd.,
*Arnhold Bros. & Co., Ltd.*
Motor Union Insurance Co., Ltd.,
*Arnhold Bros. & Co., Ltd.*
Queen Insurance Co.,
*American Trading Co.*
Scottish Union & National Ins. Co.,
Batavia Sea & Fire Ins. Co.,
Norwegian Atlas Ins. Co.,
*Rayner, Heusser & Co., Tel. 898.*
*Commercial Union, 4 The Bund*
*The Norwegian Lloyd Ins. Co., Ltd.*
**INSURANCE, LIFE**
*Commercial Union, 4 The Bund*
**INSURANCE, MARINE**
Assicurazioni Generali,
*G. A. Bona, 44 Szechuen Rd.*
Batavia Sea & Fire Ins. Co.,
*Rayner, Heusser & Co., Tel. 898.*
Employers Liability Assurance Corp., Ltd.,
*Arnhold Bros. & Co., Ltd.*
Phoenix Assurance Co.,
*American Trading Co.*
*Commercial Union, 4 The Bund*
*The Norwegian Lloyd Ins. Co., Ltd.*
**INSURANCE, MOTOR CAR.**
*Commercial Union, 4 The Bund*
**INSURANCE, MISCELLANEOUS**
*Commercial Union, 4 The Bund*
**IRON MERCHANTS**
*Edward Maurer Co., Inc.*
**LEATHER**
*Edward Maurer Co., Inc.*
**LEATHER SUBSTITUTE**
Dupont's Fabrikoid,
*Sonn Brothers Co.*
**LIFTS**
Otis Elevator Co.,
*American Trading Co.*
Smith, Major & Stevens, Ltd.
*Scott Harding & Co.*
**LIGATURES & SUTURES.**
American Drug Co.
*42 Nanking Road*
Davis & Geck,
*American Trading Co.*
**LOCKS**
Yale & Towne Mfg. Co.
*Mustard & Co., 22 Museum Rd.*
**MACHINE TOOLS**
*Edward Maurer Co., Inc.*
*Large Stocks—T. E. M. A.*
**MACHINERY, CEREAL MILLING**
Allis Chalmers Mfg. Co.,
*American Trading Co.*
Sprout Waldron & Co.,
*Arnhold Bros. & Co., Ltd.*
*Edward Maurer Co.,*
*Large Stocks—T. E. M. A.*
**MACHINERY, CONCRETE**
*Large Stocks—T. E. M. A.*
**MACHINERY, ICE MAKING**
York Mfg. Co.,
*American Trading Co.*
*Large Stocks—T. E. M. A.*
**MACHINERY, MINING**
Ingersoll Rand Co.,
*American Trading Co,*
**MACHINERY, PAPER MAKING**
Bagley & Sewall,
E. D. Jones & Sons Co.,
*American Trading Co.*
*Edward Maurer Co.*
**MACHINERY, REFRIGERATING**
York Manufacturing Co.,
*American Trading Co.*
*Large Stocks—T. E. M. A.*
**MACHINERY, RICE**
Engelburg Huller Co.,
*American Trading Co.*
**MACHINERY, TEXTILE**
Baron & Hogarth, (Heald & Reed)
*J. Whitehead & Co., 9 Av. Edw. VII.*
Chas. Cain's Son & Greenwood,
*Arnhold Bros. & Co., Ltd.*
Gregson & Houk (Cotton, Silk, Wool)
*J. Whitehead & Co., 9 Av. Edw. VII.*
Geo. Keighley, Ltd.,
*Arnhold Bros. & Co., Ltd.*
Lupton Bros, Ltd., (Accessories, Cott. Mill)
*J. Whitehead & Co., 9 Av. Edw. VII.*
J. H. Riley & Co., Ltd. (Bleacher, Dyer, Finisher)
*J. Whitehead & Co., 9 Av. Edw. VII.*
*Edward Maurer Co., Inc.*
**MACHINERY, TOBACCO**
American Machine & Foundry Co.,
*Arnhold Bros. & Co., Ltd.*
United Cigarette Machine Co.,
*American Trading Co.*
*Edward Maurer Co., Inc.*
*Large Stocks—T. E. M. A.*
**MACHINERY, MISCELLANEOUS**
*Edward Maurer Co., Inc.*
*Large Stocks—T. E. M. A.*
**MACHINERY, WOODWORKING**
*Edward Maurer Co., Inc.*
*Large Stocks—T. E. M. A.*
**MEDICAL SUPPLIES**
Allen & Hanburys, Ltd.,
*40 Canton Road*
American Drug Co.
*42 Nanking Road*
Cheesebrough Mfg. Co.,
*Mustard & Co., 22 Museum Rd.*
H. K. Mulford Co.,
Davis & Geck,
Gillette Mfg. Co.,
Rector Chemical Co.,
*American Trading Co.*
**MEDICINES**
Society of Chemical Industry in Basle
*J. Merian, 11 Av. Edward VII*
Dr. D. Jayne & Son
*Mustard & Co., 22 Museum Rd.*
**MICROSCOPES**
American Drug Co.
*42 Nanking Road*
Bausch & Lomb Optical Co.,
*Edward Evans & Sons, Ltd.*
**MILK, TINNED**
Bear Brand,
*Andrews & George, 1 Foochow Rd.*
**MOTOR CARS**
Humber, Ltd.,
*Scott Harding & Co.*
Ford Cars & Trucks
Hudson Super-Six
Essex
*Dodge & Seymour*
**MOTOR CAR SUPPLIES**
Klaxon Horns,
*Andrews & George, 1 Foochow Rd.*
**MOTORCYCLES & ACCESSORIES**
Excelsior Motorcycle Co.,
*American Trading Co.*
**MOTOR TRUCKS**
Bethlehem Trucks,
*Edward Maurer Co., Inc. (Far Eastern Distributors)*
*Kissel—T. E. M. A.*
**MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS**
Estey Organ Co.,
*Edward Bragg & Sons, Ltd,*
**OFFICE EQUIPMENT**
Library Bureau,
*Edward Evans & Sons, Ltd.*
Shaw-Walker Steel Files,
*Dodwell & Co., Ltd., 44a, Kiangse Rd.*
Y. & E. Filing Systems
*The Office Appliance Co., 22 Nanking Rd.*
Macey & Co.,
United States Steel Furniture Co.,
*American Trading Co.,*
Art Metal Steel Furniture,
Burroughs Adding Machines,
Oliver Typewriters,
Ronco Duplicators & Copiers,
Reliable Safe & Lock Co.,
Victor Safe & Lock Co.,
Rebuilt Typewriters—All Makes,
Boston Pencil Sharpeners,
Venus Pencils,
Caribonum Ribbons & Carbons,
*Andrews & George, 1 Foochow Rd*
Remington Typewriters
Remington Ribbons & Carbon Paper,
Steel Equipment Co.,
A. B. Dick Mimeograph Co.,
Dalton Adding Machine Co.,
Chicago Mirror & Art Glass Co.
*Mustard & Co., 22 Museum Rd.*
**OPTICAL GOODS**
American Optical Co.,
*National Optical Co., 69 Nanking Rd.*
Standard Optical Co.,
*Technical Supply Co., 11e Nanking Rd.*
**PAINTS, VARNISHES, ETC.**
Acme White Lead & Color Works,
*Willits & Patterson*
Boston Yarn Co., (Kyanize)
*China Invest. & Trading Co., Inc.*
Chas. H. Brown Paint Co.
*Dodge & Seymour*
Certain-teed Products Corporation
Truscon Laboratories,
*American Trading Co.*
Velvaine—T. E. M. A.
**PAPER**
Edison-Dick Impression Paper,
*Mustard & Co., 22 Museum Rd.*
Impression and Manifold Papers
*The Office Appliance Co., 22 Nanking Rd.*
Maurice O'Meara Co.,
*Edward Maurer Co., Inc.*
Typewriter & Ronco Paper,
*Andrews & George, 1 Foochow Road.*
E. Dieden & Co., Ltd.
**PENS & PENCILS**
Moore's Fountain Pens,
Joseph Dixon Crucible Co.,
*American Trading Co.*
**PERFUMERY**
Malson de Parfumerie
*40 Nanking Road*
Vinolia Co., Ltd., Paris & London
*Lever Bros. (China) Ltd.*
**PHARMACEUTICAL SUPPLIES**
American Drug Co.
*42 Nanking Rd,*
H. K. Mulford Co.,
Davis & Geck,
Rector Chemical Co.,
*American Trading Co.*
**PHOTO SUPPLIES**
Rexo Cameras,
Burke & James
*American Trading Co.*
**PIECE GOODS**
Catlin & Co., New York.
Wm. Simpson Sons & Co., New York,
*Edward Maurer Co., Inc.*
*Persian Commercial Co.*
**PRESSBOARD & INSULATING PAPER**
Diamond State Fibre Co.
*American Trading Co.*
**PRINTING SUPPLIES**
*Shanghai Press, Ltd.*
**PROJECTION LANTERNS**
Bausch & Lomb Optical Co.,
Novelite, Inc.,
*Edward Evans & Sons, Ltd.*
**PULLEYS**
*The Chinese S. K. F. Co., Ltd.*
**PUMPING MACHINERY**
W. H. Allen Son & Co., Ltd.
*Scott Harding & Co.*
Gwynne's Ltd., London.
*China Mutual Trading Co.*
*Large Stocks—T. E. M. A.*
**RAILWAY MATERIALS**
Liberty Steel Products Co.,
New York.
*P. S. Errickson Shanghai Manager*
*Astor House Hotel, Shanghai.*
Ramage Iron Works,
*American Trading Co.*
**REFRIGERATORS**
White Frost Refrigerator Co.,
*American Trading Co.*
**ROOFING MATERIALS**
A. B. C. and Pagoda Roofing,
*Arnhold Bros. & Co., Ltd.*
Carey Roofings,
*China Invest. & Trading Co., Inc.*
Weather-Compo } Certain-teed Products Corp.
Scout Roofings }
*American Trading Co.*
**ROPE, STEEL**
R.S. Newall & Son
*Scott Harding & Co.*
**SAFES LOCKS & STR. RM. DOORS**
Hatnor Safe Co., Ltd.
*Scott Harding & Co.*
Safe-Cabinet Co.
*Dodwell & Co., Ltd., 44a, Kiangse Rd.*
York Safe & Lock Co.
*Dodge & Seymour*
Y. & E. Record Safes
*The Office Appliance Co., 22 Nanking Rd.*
Reliable Safes & Locks
Victor Safes & Locks,
*Andrews & George, 1 Foochow Rd.*
Herring Hall Marvin Safe Co.
Yale & Towne Mfg. Co.,
*Mustard & Co., 22 Museum Rd,*
*Lips—T. E. M. A.*
**SANITARY FITTINGS**
Trenton Potteries Co.
*China Invest. & Trading Co., Inc.*
**SHIPPING LINES**
SS "Shawking" & "Wanli"
*Jensen Transport Co.*
P. & O. S. N. Co.
B. I. S. N. Co., Ltd.
Apear Line
Eastern & Australia S. S. Co., Ltd.
*Mackinnon, Mackenzie & Co.*
**SKYLIGHTS**
David Lupton Sons Co.
*American Trading Co.*
**SOAP**
Lever Bros., Ltd. Sole Co.,
Vinolia Co., Ltd., Paris & London
Benjamin Brooke & Co., England
Hodgson & Simpson, Ltd.
R. S. Hudson, Ltd., England
*Lever Bros. (China) Ltd.*
**STATIONERY**
Crown Ribbon & Carbon Mfg. Co.
Whiting Paper Co. (Fine Stationery)
*Chinese American Publishing Co.,*
**STEEL PRODUCTS**
Pacific Coast Steel Co. of
San Francisco, Cal.
*Shanghai Branch*
*United States Steel Products Co.*
**STEEL, STRUCTURAL**
Pacific Coast Steel Co. of
San Francisco, Cal.
*Shanghai Branch*
Truscon Steel Co.
*American Trading Co.*
*Large Stocks—T. E. M. A.*
**STEEL WINDOWS & DOORS**
J. G. Wilson Corporation
Truscon Steel Co.
*American Trading Co.*
**STERILIZERS**
American Sterilizer Co.
*American Trading Co.*
**STOVES-HEATING & COOKING**
Southard-Robertson Co.
*Mustard & Co.*
D. Moore & Co.
*American Trading Co.*
**SUGAR OF MILK**
National Milk Sugar Co.
*American Trading Co.*
**SURGICAL INSTRUMENTS**
American Drug Co.
*42 Nanking Road*
**SURVEYING & DRAFTING INST.**
Wm. Ainsworth & Sons Co.
*Technical Supply Co., 11e Nanking Rd.*
**TELEPHONE & TELEGRAPH APP.**
Automatic Telephone Mfg. Co., Ltd.
*Scott Harding & Co.*
Federal Telephone & Telegraph Co.
*China Invest. & Trading Co., Inc.*
Relay Automatic Telephone Co., Ld. London.
*China Mutual Trading Co.,*
Stromberg Carlson Tel. Mfg. Co.
*American Trading Co.*
**TILES**
The Mosaic Tile Co.,
*American Trading Co.*
**TOILET REQUISITES**
Malson de Parfumerie
*40 Nanking Road*
Cheesebrough Mfg. Co.,
Durham Duplex Razor Co.
Lanman & Kemp (Florida Water)
*Mustard & Co., 22 Museum Rd.*
Vinolia Co., Ltd., Paris & London
*Lever Bros. (China) Ltd.*
Gillette Razors & Blades
Ponds Vanishing Cream
Ponds Extract
Ponds Cold Cream
*Dodge & Seymour,*
**TOOLS**
*Edward Maurer Co., Inc.*
*Large Stocks—T. E. M. A.*
**TRUCKS, ELEVATING**
The Barrett Cravens Co. (Multi Truck),
*Mustard & Co., 22 Museum Rd.*
**TYPEWRITERS**
Corona Typewriters
*Dodge & Seymour*
Remington Typewriters,
*Mustard & Co.*
Underwood Typewriter Co.
*Dodwell & Co., Ltd., 44a, Kiangse Rd*
Oliver Typewriters
Rebuilt Typewriters—All Makes
*Andrews & George, 1 Foochow Rd.*
Fox Baby Portable
National Portable
Rebuilt Typewriters-All Makes
*The Office Appliance Co., 22 Nanking Rd.*
**TYRES**
Miller Tires
*Dodge & Seymour*
Racine Tire Co.,
*Edward Maurer Co., Inc.*
**"VASELINE" PREPARATIONS**
Cheesebrough Mfg. Co.,
*Mustard & Co., 22 Museum Rd.*
**VENTILATING EQUIPMENT**
Blackman Export Co.
*Arnhold Bros. & Co., Ltd.*
B. F. Sturtevant Co.
*American Trading Co.*
**WATCHES & CLOCKS**
"Westclox" "Big Ben" etc.
*Mustard & Co.,*
Wm. L. Gilbert Clock Co.,
*Edward Maurer Co., Inc.*
Illinois Watch Co.
*Ashida Engineering Co., Ltd.,*
Waltham Watch Co.
*American Trading Co.*
**WATERPROOFING PASTE**
Truscon Laboratories
*American Trading Co.*
**WATERWORKS SUPPLIES**
Jewell Export Filter Co.
*American Trading Co.*
Pittsburgh Water Meters Co. (Lake, Elec.)
*China Invest. & Trading Co., Inc.*
**WEIGHING MACHINES, SCALES**
Buffalo Scale Co.
*Edward Maurer Co., Inc.*
Howe Scale Co.
*Mustard & Co.*
Knowles Scale Co.
*Dodge & Seymour*
Henry Pooley & Son, Ltd., Birmingham.
*China Mutual Trading Co.*
Larsa Stocks—T. E. M. A.
Fairbanks—T. E. M. A.

*N.B. Names of local agents and branches are shown in italics, the agencies they hold in bold type.*

KEEP YOUR NAME IN THESE COLUMNS—
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# ARMY-NAVY GAME AIDS ST. DUNSTANS

### Football Match This Afternoon Is For Benefit Of Blind Soldiers And Sailors

The Navy vs. Army Charity Match to be played this afternoon promises to provide a great game for football enthusiasts. The game is scheduled to commence at 2:45 o'clock on the S. F. C. Ground. Prior to the game the band of the British Cruiser Hawkins will render selections of music by kind permission of Capt. R. G. H. Henderson.

This should prove an additional attraction, also it may be mentioned that in all probability Capt. R. G. H. Henderson, of the Hawkins will set the ball rolling.

Scouts from the Baden-Powell Troops will sell flags, the proceeds of which will be devoted to St. Dunstan's Hostel for Blind Sailors and Soldiers, a most deserving institution.

During the lemon time, the football to be used during the game will be publicly auctioned and the proceeds will be given to the same worthy cause.

The football committee consisting of Messrs. J. H. Quale, H. G. Reed, A. J. Clarke, T. W. R. Wilson and R. R. Jones (secretary) extends a hearty welcome to the committee and members of the United Services Association and to all naval men in port.

The teams will take the field as follows:

Navy.—P. O. McBride, (Hawkins). Leading Seaman Humphreys, (Alacrity). E. R. A. (T) Edwards, (Hawkins) (Capt.). Pte. Wilson, (Hawkins). Pte. Wilkins, (Hawkins). Shipwright Thoms, (Alacrity). P. O. Cunliffe. Stoker Steward, (Hawkins) Pte. Havus, Stoker Styles, Mus. Webb. Linesman: A. B. McGrother. (Colors, navy blue).

Army.—A. McLean, (London Scottish). J. Quayle, (Capt.) (Labor Corps). H. G. Reed (Hants Regt). C. H. Davies, (R. M. L. I.) W. J. Brown, (R. G. A.) G. Xavier, (French Infantry). A. J. Clarke, (Tanks Corps). S. D. Begg, (Seaforths') W. Archer, (London Scottish). R. M. Ogden, (R. M. L. I.) T. W. R. Wilson (Camerons), Reserves: R. B Roach, (Tanks Corps). J. Pirv. (French Infantry). Linesman: G. E. Norris, (Canadians). Referee: J. F. Gabbutt, (King Edwards' Horse). (Colors, white jerseys).

## Korean Suspected As Bomber Is Sent To Prison 29 Days

### Man Who Ordered Manufacture Of Hand Grenade Shells Is Given Hearing

A Korean who attempted to have a number of brass hand grenade casings manufactured in Shanghai a few days ago was given a hearing before the Japanese consular court yesterday and sentenced to 29 days imprisonment. The man denied his guilt and said he was having the casings made for a Chinese, who he was unable to name.

The defendant was arrested after he had called at the shop of a Chinese brassworker and, presenting plans and specifications ordered the manufacture of the brass shells. The Chinese suspected that the casings were to be used for bombs or hand grenades and notified the police.

The workman was ordered to complete one of the shells and deliver it to the Korean. He did so, whereupon Chinese detectives who were lying in wait made the arrest.

## League Of Nations Called Necessary To Business World

(*Reuter's Service*)

London, April 14.—A large number of the most prominent city business men have issued a manifesto, appealing for funds for further active propaganda for the League of Nations on the ground that the League has become an absolute necessity as a business proposition and is the only alternative to another war which would utterly ruin the industry and commerce of the whole of Europe.

The manifesto declares that financial support should be regarded by all business men as a necessary insurance premium for the continuance of peace. The campaign for education must be on a national scale and must extend for at least a generation, hence a large fund is essential.

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## Shanghai Rifle Association

**The Ninth Competition For The Benevolent Fund Shield**

The Ninth competition for the above Shield was held on Thursday, April 15 at 6:30 a.m. Although the weather conditions were unfavorable, some good scores were registered. There were 20 entries, only 16 competed. Range being Bisley 300 yards, one sighting and 15 scoring shots. Following are the results:

| Names | Class | Score | allowce | Total | Points |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| H. J. Blatchford | D | 63 | 8 | 71 | 10 |
| F. W. Snape | A1 | 70 | 0 | 70 | 9 |
| W. E. Sauer | A1 | 69 | 0 | 69 | 8 |
| C. Bedoni | A | 66 | 2 | 68 | 7 |
| A. L. Mottu | B | 64 | 4 | 68 | 6 |
| A. M. Collaco | A1 | 67 | 0 | 67 | 5 |
| F. E. Hodges | A | 65 | 2 | 67 | 4 |
| C. P. Grant | C | 60 | 6 | 66 | 3 |
| R. I. Ito | A1 | 65 | 0 | 65 | 2 |
| C. E. M. Thomson | A1 | 65 | 0 | 65 | 1 |

Holder of Shield up to date: R. I. Ito (Japanese Co.) with 46 points.

**April Monthly Competitions**

These were held in conjunction with the above competition, scoring shots 1 to 7 count for the first competition and scoring shots 9 to 15 count for the second competition (scoring shot 8 counted as sighting shot for the second competition).

Following are the results of the four best scores in each class.

**First Competition**

"A1" Class

| | |
|---|---|
| W. E. Sauer | 33 (a) |
| F. W. Snape | 33 |
| C. E. Thomson | 30 |
| A. M. Collaco | 29 |

"A" Class

| | |
|---|---|
| K. D. Chen | 31 (b) |
| C. Bedoni | 30 |
| F. E. Hodges | 30 |
| R. F. Wilner | 28 |

"B" Class

| | |
|---|---|
| O. Erzinger | 30 (a) |
| A. L. Mottu | 30 |
| F. J. Twogood | 29 |
| F. G. Green | 29 |

"C" Class

| | |
|---|---|
| G. Heusser | 31 (c) |
| C. L. Boynton | 29 |
| J. Rebsamen | 27 |
| C. P. Grant | 26 |

"D" Class

| | |
|---|---|
| H. J. Blatchford | 30 (a) |
| K. Yamanaka | 24 |
| T. Ohshima | 24 |
| Z. Fukichi | 22 |

(a) 2nd leg on cup and winner of spoon.

(b) 1st leg on cup and winner of spoon.

(c) 4th leg on cup, cup won outright and promoted to "B" class.

**Second Competition**

"A1" Class

| | |
|---|---|
| A. M. Collaco | 34 (a) |
| R. I. Ito | 33 |
| W. E. Sauer | 32 |
| F. W. Snape | 32 |

"A" Class

| | |
|---|---|
| C. Bedoni | 32 (b) |
| F. E. Hodges | 31 |
| R. F. Wilner | 30 |
| J. Macbeth | 29 |

"B" Class

| | |
|---|---|
| A. L. Mottu | 31 (c) |
| R. B. Ransom | 28 |
| G. Heusser | 28 |
| F. J. Twogood | 28 |
| Yung | 28 |

"C" Class

| | |
|---|---|
| *C. P. Grant | 30 |
| C. L. Boynton | 24 |
| J. Rebsamen | 23 |

No Competition

*C. P. Grant wins the average prize

"D" Class

| | |
|---|---|
| H. J. Blatchford | 28 (c) |
| Z. Fukichi | 25 |
| K. Yamanaka | 24 |
| T. Ohshima | 22 |

(a) 4th leg on cup, cup won outright.

(b) 1st leg on cup and winner of spoon.

(c) 2nd leg on cup and winner of spoon.

April 30 General Practice at Long Ranges a pool of $1—(each class) will take place during the practice.

## Rugby Football Monday

The rugby football manager of the British Cruiser Alacrity, is trying hard to get the consent of the Recreation Fund Trustees to arrange a match on the Shanghai Football Club's ground for next Monday.

Shanghai has had about three practices this season and as the sailors have little chance of getting ashore for practice both teams should be fairly well matched.

If arrangements are successful the game will be called for 4 o'clock.

## Hockey Game Today

The Harlequins will meet an eleven from the British cruiser Hawkins on the Widow's Monument ground this afternoon in a Hockey match. The Hawkins team has not yet been beaten and the Harlequins are the winners of this year's league honors so the match should be well worth seeing.

## Shanghai Races Today

The Shanghai Race Club will hold its third extra race meeting of the year on the Shanghai course this afternoon. The first saddling bell will be rung at 1:15 o'clock.

The program will consist of a handicap steeplechase, which will be the first race, a hurdle race and five other events. Tiffins, tea and refreshments will be obtainable at the course after 12:15 o'clock.

## TENNEY WANTS BOUT

A. P. Tannebaum, a boxer who fights under the name of Frank Tenney, is in Shanghai seeking a match with some good 145-pound boy. Tenney just arrived from the United States. He did some fighting in Kansas.

## Dutch Sailors Guests Of Navy Y.M.C.A.

Last evening a considerable number of sailors of the Dutch Cruisers Tromp and Herzog Hendrick were entertained by the Navy Y.M.C.A., the program consisting of piano selections and a motion picture show. Following the entertainment refreshments consisting of coffee, doughnuts and sandwiches were served. Flags of the Dutch Nation were festooned across the gymnasium walls. The affair was much enjoyed by the Dutch boys who leave the harbor tomorrow.

The Dutch sailors furnished a splendid portion of the program. They sang many popular songs translated into Dutch, did many "stunts" and added greatly to the gaiety of the evening.

## Launch Services

**Tuesday, April 20, 1920**

The tender conveying passengers and mails on board the S.M.R. s.s. Sakaki Maru will leave the Customs jetty at 11 a.m.

**Wednesday, April 21, 1920**

The tender conveying passengers and mails on board the R.V.F. s.s. Simbirsk will leave the Customs jetty at 3 p.m.

**Friday, April 23, 1920**

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| Mrs. E. F. Pateman | 10 |
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Per Mrs. F. J. Brand

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| Mrs. Yngvar Utne | 5 |
| Mrs. H. J. Harper | 5 |
| | 10 |

Per Miss M. Moller

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| Miss Lillian Shepherd | $5 |
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| | 31 |

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The Reverend Mother Superior acknowledges the receipt of the total sum subscribed to the memorial fund of the late Mother St. Josephine and desires to tender her heartfelt thanks to the many subscribers.

## Council To Review Defense Forces

The municipal police force, the special police reserves and the expeditionary forces emergency units will be inspected by the new Municipal Council on the Public Recreation Ground, Race Course, on Tuesday afternoon at 5:45 o'clock. The inspection will be open to the public.

## BRITISH PROGRAM FOR LARGE FLEET HERE ABANDONED

### Times Predicts Reduction Of Flag And Commodore Ranks On China Station

(*Reuter's Service*)

London, April 13.—The Times says: "The appointment of Rear-Admiral G. H. Borret to be Senior Naval Officer on the Yangtsze River indicates a reduction in the establishment of officers of Flag and Commodore's rank in China.

"When the present organisation was approved a year ago for the post-war Fleet on the China station it was probably expected that a large force would be maintained in those waters. For example the battle-cruiser New Zealand was mentioned as the future flagship on the conclusion of her Empire tour with Lord Jellicoe but she is not allocated to this duty, in the appendix, showing the new Fleet organisation, issued with Mr. Churchill's memorandum on the Navy estimates.

"There is, of course, no question of any breach of faith in this connection, although the Imperial Defense Conference in 1909 decided that the New Zealand should be stationed in China. It was announced by Mr. Churchill in March, 1913 that, in response to the suggestion of the Admiralty, the Government of New Zealand had agreed to the ship being stationed wherever the Imperial Government considered her services most valuable and she was consequently attached to the First Battle-Cruiser Squadron in the North Sea.

"The strength of the China Fleet, as revised, is thus numerically similar to that in 1914, namely 39 pennants as compared with 36 before the war. After May 6 the only difference from the pre-war organisation of commands will be the employment of a Rear-Admiral on the Yangtsze instead of a Captain."

## China Political Notes From Chinese Papers

The Ministry of Foreign Affairs has repeatedly asked the Japanese Minister to resume the negotiations over the Foochow incident but has had no response. The Cabinet has urged Mr. Chiang Chin-koo, the Chinese Charge D'Affaires at Tokio to hasten the Japanese Government on this matter. It is understood that Tokio authorities are discussing the question and it will not be long before the parley opens.

The Rome Government has considered the decision of the Commercial Tribunal at Trieste as erroneous and has promised to release the Silesia.

The Ministry of Foreign Affairs is preparing for the entertainment of Mr. F. B. Alston, the new British Minister.

The Diplomatic Corps has received a message from the Inspector-General of Customs to report the refusal of Japanese to be examined by inspector of the customs service. Members of the Corps will undertake the work of approaching the Japanese authorities on the matter.

A certain clique is actively advocating the conclusion of a separate peace with Generals Tsang Chun-hsuan and Lu Yung-ting. The President and the Cabinet are inclined to accept the suggestion.

The Szechuen residents in Peking have received reports that there is disturbance in Chengtu and that General Hsiun Ko-wu has fled the city.

The redemption of the Chinese Eastern Railway will not take place until after the return of Commissioner Yih Kung-cho, who will negotiate for a loan for that purpose.

General Li Lieh-chun has taker refuge in Hongkong and is leaving secretly through the assistance of the Navy.

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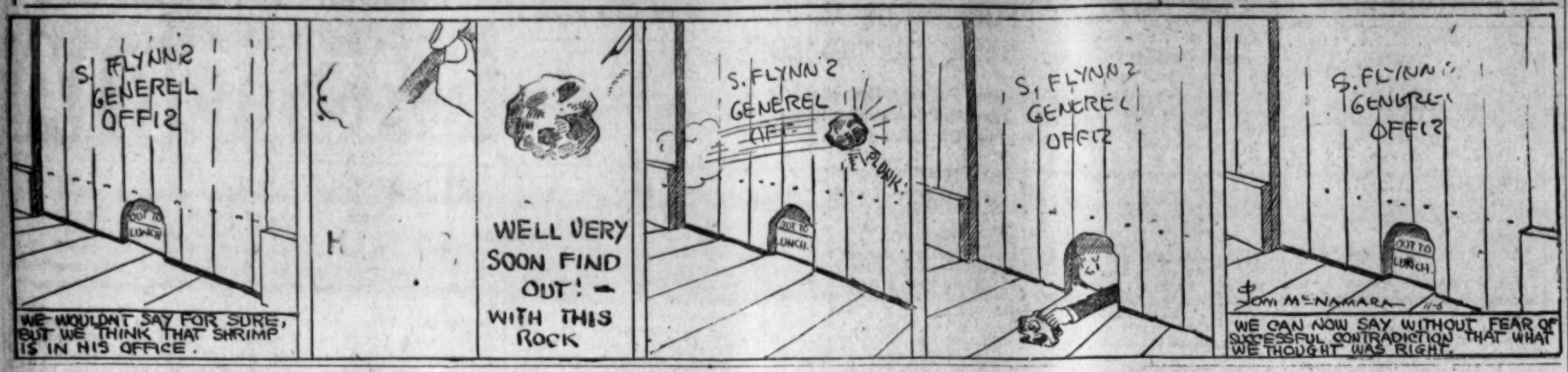
## US BOYS — Bet Shrimp Thought It Was The Police — By McNamara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## BOOBY HATCH — Must Take The Bitter With The Sweet — By Berndt

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WHAT'S ALL THE EXCITAMENT ABOUT, HATCH?
I JUST INVENTED A SUBSTITUTE FOR SUGAR-THERE'LL BE NO MORE SUGAR FAMINE NOW!
WHAT IS IT LIKE-HOW DOES IT TASTE?
IT'S PURE WHITE AND CRYSTAL JUST LIKE REGULAR SUGAR-THERE'S ONLY ONE LIL' TROUBLE --
WHAT'S THAT?
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## OVER HERE! — By Callahan

LIL' WILLIE IS OFFERED A JOB AS PIN BOY AT A BOWLING ALLEY, IN HIS SPARE TIME.
NO!
THAT'S FINAL
LEMME TAKE IT MOM, I CAN MAKE SOME PIN MONEY.
HE'LL GET THE ROLLING PIN INSTEAD.
HE CAN MAKE IT. BUT HE CAN'T KEEP IT.
LET HIM TAKE IT MOM, IT'LL MAKE HIM STRONG.
I JUST KNOW HE'LL GET HIT WITH A BALL.
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D'YA HAFTA KEEP THE PINS IN A PIN CUSHION, WILLIE?
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HE'LL BE HANDY FOR POP WHEN POP'S BOWLING.
THAT'S NICE!
YOU CAN'T BLAME AN OIL CAN LIKE HIM FOR BEING AFRAID OF A SQUIRREL.
WHEN "HON" BOWLS HE DOESN'T NEED A PIN BOY. BUT DEARIE LOVES HIM JUST THE SAME.
LOVE IS BLIND.
SAY, DIPPYOPOLIS, YOU MIGHT SAY THAT A PIN BOY DOES "SETTING UP" EXERCISING.
"COMEDIAN"
"HON" IS A "STICK" PIN. HE NEVER KNOWS WHEN TO GO HOME.
I FAIL TO SEE THE POINT.
ISN'T HATTIE'S BONNET "STRIKING". SHE'S GOT HATS TO "SPARE".
HOW MANY "MARKS" IN A BOWLING GAME?
DON'T YELL AT THE PIN BOY - YOU MIGHT UPSET HIM, AND INTERFERE WITH HIS SETTING UP.
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After some remodeling, decorating and refurnishing the building was thrown open yesterday to Chinese and foreign friends under the auspices of both the National Committee of China and the Board of Directors of the Shanghai Association.

Ever since the establishment of the local work on Quinsan Road there have always been a few rooms for the accommodation of Chinese girls traveling through the Settlement. One of the first questions to come before the institution is the housing of such girls in safety and comfort. These changes have made possible more service of this kind.

Tea was served and over 200 guests informally inspected the place with interest and then a short program was given in the gymnasium. Mrs. E. L. Marsh, of the National Committee was in the chair. She welcomed the people in English and Mrs. S. K. Tsao, the president of the Shanghai City Association, did the same in Chinese; Mrs. H. C. Mei spoke of the Association in China and was followed by Miss Harriet Smith telling of its world-wide aspects. There was some Chinese music given charmingly by Miss Tong Ying; and an exhibition of physical exercises given by the students of the Y.W.C.A. School of Physical Education.

Today the building will be opened as yesterday from 4 o'clock to 7 o'clock. Tea will be served and Dr. C. T. Wong will make an address in Chinese.

### *Circle Sportif*

Tonight the Circle Sportif will entertain their members to another of their very pleasant evenings. Two one act plays will be presented, one in English and one in French. Some of the most prominent actors of the two Settlements have been called in to portray the chief parts. When the actors and actresses have finished mumming the audience will pass the rest of the evening, and early morning, at a nicely arranged supper and then any amount of dances.

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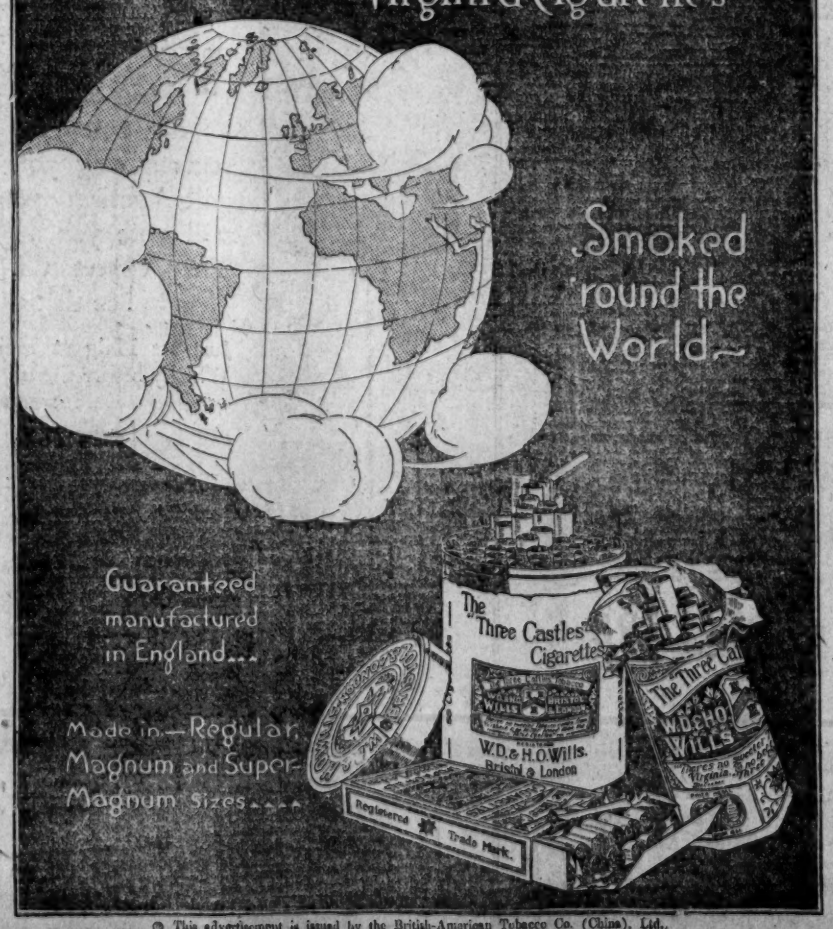
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29043.

## NOTICE

We made a declaration in The China Press of the 3rd instant, regarding the loss and nullification of a Bank order, No. 267, issued by the Dong Sung Bank, (同生銀號) for Taels 4213.6.12, due on 15th day of 2nd moon.

We hereby again notify the public not to negotiate the said order, as the full amount was received from the said Bank.

YUEN TAI BANK,
源泰莊啟

Shanghai, April 16, 1920.

29030

## Ziangbe Rubber Co., Ltd.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Tenth Annual General Meeting of Shareholders in the above Company will be held on Tuesday, the 27th April, 1920, at 3.30 p.m., at No. 10 Canton Road, Shanghai.

The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from the 20th to the 27th April, 1920, both days inclusive.

By order of the Board of Directors.

J. A. WATTTIE & CO., LTD.,
Secretaries & General Managers.

29028

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29001

## LOST

Two Bank drafts, letter Woo, (滬字) Nos. 106 and 107, for $2,000 totally, issued by the Heng Tah Native Bank, (恆大錢號) Tsinan on 21st day of 2nd moon, in the name of Tsi Shing Chen, (即興誠) payable at the Tung Wei Bank, (通惠銀行) Shanghai, have been lost.

In addition to the declaration of the loss and cancellation of the said drafts, we hereby warn the public not to accept or negotiate the same.

Same notice is appearing in the Sin Wan Pao.

TSI SHING CHEN, TSINAN

Shanghai, April 15, 1920.

28999

## SINO-ITALIAN BANK

In compliance with Italian Law it is hereby made known that on the 18th February, 1920 at the Italian Consulate, at Tientsin, in the presence of H.I.M's Consul, has been registered the limited liability Company named "SINO-ITALIAN BANK" with fully paid up capital of Italian Lire Gold: 4,000,000 and Chinese Dollars 1,200,000.

The Bank has its Head Office in Tientsin and Branch Offices at Shanghai, Peking, Hankow, Harbin. Its object is that of undertaking and carrying on all kinds of general banking operations, proper to similar banking Firms in Italy and China.

President of the Board of Directors: H. E. Shu Shih Ying.

Assistant President: H. E. Comm. Lionello Scelsi.

All positions in the Bank are to be filled in equal proportion by Italians and Chinese and it is also provided in the Statutes that all documents have to be signed jointly, by one Official appoined by the Italian shareholders and one appointed by the Chinese.

28996

## JAVA CONSOLIDATED RUBBER & COFFEE ESTATES, LTD.

Notice is hereby given that the Tenth Annual General Meeting of Shareholders in the above Company will be held on Tuesday, the 27th day of April, 1920 at 4 p.m. at No. 10 Canton Road, Shanghai, China.

The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from the 20th to the 27th April, 1920 both days inclusive.

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28994

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By Order of the Directors,
GEORGE McBAIN.
General Agents

Shanghai, 6th March, 1920.

28274

## Shanghai Race Club

3rd EXTRA RACE MEETING, 1920
Saturday, 17th April.

There will be
A HANDICAP STEEPLECHASE (First Race)
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THREE HANDICAPS
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5 OTHER RACES.

The Races will commerce at 1.30 p.m. prompt.

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Price .....$1 each

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By Order of the Stewards,
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TATA SONS & CO.
R. D. TATA & CO., LTD.

Dated Shanghai, April 14th, 1920.

28989

## UNION CLUB OF CHINA

The Union Club of China will be without quarters in the near future; the Committee would therefore be pleased to hear from anyone having a suitable place to let that could be used for this purpose.

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28980

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No. 2702

7 PER CENT. LOAN, 1920

**Price of Issue until further notice 92½ per cent.**

Under the authority of Resolution VII passed at the annual meeting of Ratepayers on April 7, 1920, the Council hereby invites applications for debentures in the 7 per cent Loan of 1920.

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They will be issued at 92½ per cent until further notice and will be redeemed on December 31, 1930.

The scrip will be issued in denominations of Tls 1,000, Tls 500 and Tls. 100 to suit the convenience of applicants, but no allotment for a less amount than Tls. 500 mominal will be made except to depositors in the Municipal Investment Bank.

Application forms can be obtained from the Treasurer and Comptroller, Finance Department, 24B Kiangse Road, to whom all enquiries should be addressed.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
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Council Room,
Shanghai, April 13, 1920.

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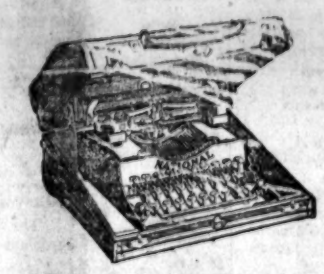

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PHILIP H. COLE,
General Manager.

Shanghai, April 12th, 1920. 28931.

## Commercial Bank of China

### NOTICE

On and after 13th April 1920 Mr. Fu Siao En, the Managing Director or Mr. H. C. Marshall, the Chief Manager, will sign for and on behalf of this Bank.

By the order of Board of Directors,
FU SIAO EN,
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28966

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29040 A.20.

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28976 A. 23

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28965 A. 18

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29021

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28915 A. 18

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28959 A. 16

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29022 A. 18

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29017 A. 21

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28990 A. 16

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29046 A.22.

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29045 A.20.

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29025 A. 18

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28987 A. 18

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28946 A.20.

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29041 A.20.

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29023.

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28927 A. 17

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29032 A. 18

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29019 A. 18

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28997 A. 17.

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29000 A. 17.

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29042 A.20.

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29010 A. 18

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29016 A. 19

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Paid-Up Capital..$12,279,800.00
Reserve Fund ... $1,208,522.60
Special Reserve Fund ..... $1,208,933.68

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Sung Han-chang,
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Shanghai, 15th February, 1918.

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Filiale de la Societe Generale de Belgique
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Paid-up Capital ...Fr. 50,000,000
Reserves ..... Fr. 12,027,956

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Deposits of not less than $1, or over $100, will be received at one time.

Not more than $1,200 will be received in one year from any single depositor whose credit balance shall not at any time exceed the sum of $5,000.

Interest at the rate of 3½ per cent per annum will be allowed on the monthly minimum balance. Deposits may be withdrawn on demand. Accounts will be kept either in Dollars or Taels, at the option of the depositor.

Depositors will be presented with Pass Books in which all transactions will be entered. Pass Books must be presented when paying in or withdrawing money.

Office Hours—10 a.m. to 3 p.m. Saturday, 10 a.m. to 12 noon.

## THE BANK OF CANTON, LIMITED.

Incorporated 1912

| | |
|---|---|
| Capital (fully paid) ..... | H.$2,000,000.00 |
| Reserve Fund... | H.$ 400,000.00 |
| Investment reserve fund ... | H.$ 40,000.00 |

Head Office
No. 6 Des Voeux Road, Hongkong

Shanghai Office
No. 2 Ningpo Road

BRANCHES AND AGENCIES

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Canton | Bangkok | S. Francisco |
| Batavia | Bombay | Colombo |
| New York | Manila | Samarang |
| London | Singapore | Calcutta |
| Honolulu | Rangoon | Yokohama |
| Sourabaya | Canada, etc. | |

Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits according to arrangement.

Every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.

C. C. WONG,
Act. Manager.

## The National Commercial Bank, Ltd.

Established 1907.

| | |
|---|---|
| Paid-Up Capital ... | $1,000,000.00 |
| Reserve Fund .... | $91,847.41 |

*Head Office: Shanghai*
Peking and Kiangse Roads.
Tels: Managers' Office: Cen. 2650
General Office: Cen. 2613 & 2614

*Branches:*
Hangchow, Hankow, Peking, Tientsin, Mukden and Harbin.

FOREIGN CORRESPONDENTS
London, New York, San Francisco, Tokio, Yokohama, Kobe and Osaka.

Correspondents at the principal cities throughout China.

Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits in Taels, Dollars, Gold Dollars, Sterling and Yen according to arrangement.

Interest allowed on Deposits at Call both in Taels and Dollars according to arrangement.

Domestic and Foreign Drafts purchased and sold.

Credit granted on approved securities.

Savings accounts—4% per annum.

Every description of banking business transacted.

Modern Safe Deposit Boxes For Rent.

Shen Chu Hsu, Manager.
Shu Chin Mih, Sub-Manager.
C. C. Yang, Sub-Manager.

## International Banking Corporation

Owned by
THE NATIONAL CITY BANK OF NEW YORK.

Capital & Surplus U.S.$10,000,000
Undivided Profits U.S. $450,000

*Head Office:*
National City Bank Building.
55 WALL STREET, NEW YORK
*London Office:* 36 Bishopsgate E.C.
*Lyons Office:* 27 Place Tolosan
*San Francisco Office:*
232 Montgomery Street

*Branches:*

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| China | Philippines | |
| Shanghai | Manila | |
| Peking | Cebu | |
| Tientsin | | |
| Tsingtau | Straits Settlements | |
| Hankow | Singapore | |
| Hongkong | | |
| Canton | Dominican Republic | |
| Manchuria | Santo Domingo | |
| Harbin | | |
| India | San Pedro de Macoris | |
| Bombay | | |
| Calcutta | Sanches | |
| Rangoon | | |
| Japan | Santiago | |
| Yokohama | | |
| Kobe | Puerto Plata | |
| Java | | |
| Batavia | Panama | |
| Soerabaya | Panama | |
| | Colon | |

Branches of
THE NATIONAL CITY BANK OF NEW YORK

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Argentina | Uruguay | |
| Buenos Aires | Montevideo | |
| Once (Buenos Aires) | Venezuela | |
| Rosario | Caracas | |
| Belgium | Maracaibo | |
| Antwerp | Siberia | |
| Brussels | Vladivostok | |
| Spain | Italy | |
| Madrid | Genoa | |
| Barcelona | | |
| Brazil | Porto Rico | |
| Bahia | San Juar | |
| Pernambuco | Colombia | |
| Porto Alegre | Medellin | |
| Rio de Janeiro | Russia | |
| Santos | Moscow | |
| Sao Paulo | Petrograd | |
| Chile | South Africa | |
| Santiago | Cape Town | |
| Valparaiso | Trinidad | |
| Ponce | Port of Spain | |
| Porto Rico | | |

Branches in Havana and 21 of the principal cities of Cuba.

Commercial and Travellers' Letters of Credit, Bills of Exchange and Cable Transfers bought and sold. Current accounts opened and Fixed Deposits in local and foreign currencies taken at rates that may be ascertained on application to the Bank.

H. C. GULLAND, *Manager.*
1a Kiukiang Road.

## Commercial Bank of China

*Head Office:* SHANGHAI

| | |
|---|---|
| | Sh. Tls. |
| Subscribed Capital ... | 5,000,000 |
| Paid-Up Capital ..... | 2,500,000 |

Advances made on approved securities. Bills discounted.

Interest allowed on Current Accounts at 2 per cent per annum on daily balance. On Fixed deposits:
For 3 months at 3% per annum.
For 6 months at 4% per annum.
For 12 months at 5% per annum.

On deposits in Dollars according to arrangement.

T. G. MARSHALL.
Chief Manager.

## 行銀華中 Chung Foo Union Bank

(Established in 1917.)
Statutes approved by the Government in 1916.

*Head Office: Tientsin*

| | |
|---|---|
| Subscribed Capital .. | $2,000,000 |
| Paid-Up Capital .... | $1,020,000 |
| Reserve Fund ..... | $ 54,000 |

*Managing Director:*
T. CLARENCE SUN
*Deputy Managing Director:*
NIEH CHI-WEI

Branches and Agencies in Domestic Cities and Foreign Countries:

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Tientsin | Chinkiang | Ichang |
| Shanghai | Soochow | Changsha |
| Peking | Wusieh | Shansi |
| Hankow | Hangchow | Wuhu |
| Nanking | Ningpo | London |
| Yangchow | Shaoshing | New York |
| Hsuchow | Canton | S. Francisco |
| Pengpu | Hongkong | Boston |
| Changchun | Changteh | Tokio |
| Antung | Chengchow | Kobe |
| Kiukiang | Tsinkiangpu | Osaka |
| | Yokohama | |

And also other principal cities in foreign countries.

SHANGHAI BRANCH.
S. 441 Ningpo Road.

Tel. Central 1929 Managers' Office
Tel. Central 2618 General Office.

Every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted. Interest allowed on Current Account and Fixed Deposits both in Taels and Dollars according to arrangement.

Credits granted on approved securities.

Y. R. SUN, Manager,
T. D. Yar, Sub-Manager.

## Nederlandsche Handel Maatschappij

(Netherlands Trading Society.)
Established 1824.

Paid-up-Capital: Guilders 80,000,000 (about £6,666,666)
Reserve Funds: Guilders 14,590,545 (about £1,215,879)
Special Reserves: Guilders 17,000,000 (about £1,416,666)

Head Office: AMSTERDAM.
Head Agency: BATAVIA
*Agencies in Holland:*
THE HAGUE and ROTTERDAM.

*Branches:*

| | |
|---|---|
| Bandjermasin | Penang |
| Bandoeng | Pontianak |
| Cheribon | Rangoon |
| Djember | Semarang |
| Djokjakarta | Singapore |
| Hongkong | Soerabaya |
| Kota-Radja | Soerakarta |
| Langsa | Tebing-Tinggi |
| Makassar | Tegal |
| Medan | Telok-Beton |
| Padang | Tjilatjap |
| Palombang | Weltevreden |
| Pekalongan | |

*London Bankers*
National Provincial and Union Bank of England, Ltd.

Correspondents at the principal places in Europe, Asia, Australia and North America.

The Bank buys, sells, and receives for collection bills of exchange, issues letters of credit on its branches and correspondents and transacts banking business of every description.

Shanghai Interest Allowed on current tael accounts and fixed deposits, according to arrangement.

B. G. J. WYNBERG.

## The Chekiang Industrial Bank, Ltd.

Established 1908

| | |
|---|---|
| Capital ..... | $1,000,000.00 |
| Reserve Fund .... | $1,425.61 |
| Resources ..... | 10,000,000.00 |

Head Office & Branches;
Hangchow, Shanghai, Haimon, and Lanchi.

Domestic Agencies;
Throughout CHINA at principal Cities.

Foreign Correspondents;
London, New York, Amsterdam, Tokyo, Kobe, Yokohama, Osaka, Hakodata, Seoul, and Fusan.

Every description of Banking and Exchange transacted.

Drafts issued and telegraph transfers effected.

Commercial Credits established.

Loans and Credits granted on approved securities.

Interests allowed on Current and Fixed Deposits in Pounds Sterling Gold Dollars, Guilders, Yen, Taels, and Dollars according to arrangements.

Modern Safe Deposit Boxes for rent on application.

Savings Deposits at 4% compound interest.

LI MING, Manager.
SHANGHAI BRANCH
U 39 Peking Road.
Telephones: C. 3145, Mgr's. Office.
Telephones: C. 2147, General Office.
CABLE ADDRESS:
"CHINDUSBANK."

## BANK OF COMMUNICATIONS

Specially authorised by Presidental Mandates of April 7th, 1914. and October 31, 1915.

Capital: Kuping Taels 10,000,000

HEAD OFFICE: PEKING
Over 60 Branches and Agencies at principal cities and commercial centers in China.

Agencies abroad; Singapore, Hongkong, Tokyo (Japan).

SHANGHAI BRANCH
14 The Bund.

Interest allowed on both Current and Fixed Deposit Accounts; Credit granted to approved securities, and every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.

Y. M. CHIEN Acting Manager.

## The Mercantile Bank of India, Ltd.

| | |
|---|---|
| Subscribed Capital .. | £1,500,000 |
| Paid up Capital ..... | 750,000 |
| Reserve Fund ..... | 750,000 |

Head Office, 15 Gracechurch Street, London, E. C. 3.

London Bankers:
BANK OF ENGLAND
London Joint City and Midland Bank, Ltd.

Branches & Agencies.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Bombay | Howrah | Madras |
| Calcutta | (Calcutta) | New York |
| Colombo | Kandy | Penang |
| Delhi | Karachi | Port Louis |
| Galle | Kota Bahru | (Mauritius) |
| Hongkong | (Kelantan) | Rangoon |
| | Kuala Lumpur | Shanghai |
| | | Singapore |

*Shanghai Branch.*
26 THE BUND

EVERY description of Banking and Exchange business transacted. Interest allowed on Teal Current Accounts at 2 % per annum and Fixed Deposits at rates which may be ascertained on application.

C. CHAMPKIN, Manager.

## Asia Banking Corporation

CAPITAL $4,000,000 SURPLUS $1,100,000
*An American Bank*
Cable: BANKASIA Tel. S'hai C. 1225

Head Office: New York City
Head Office for the Far East: Shanghai
Corner Kiukiang and Kiangse Roads

*Other Branch Offices:*
Canton, Changsha, Hankow, Hongkong, Manila, Peking and Tientsin

## SIXTH ITALIAN CONSOLIDATED 5% LOAN 1920 SUBSCRIPTION DATE EXTENDED

By cable advice from Rome, we are informed that the period of subscription to the Italian Government Bonds has again been extended and will now expire on April 25th.

We feel sure there are still many Italians as well as people of other nationalities in this locality who should subscribe to this Loan, and we wish to call to the attention of all that the time is getting short.

The Bonds are free from all taxes, both present and future, are being sold at the issue price of Lire 87.50 per Lire 100 and yield 5% interest on the par value, which is 5.71% on on the issue price.

An investment of about Tls. 3,200 will yield, at the present rate of exchange, an annual income of lire 5,000.

The rate of exchange is the most favorable now of any time since the subscription started.

STOCKHOLDING BANKS
Anglo and London, Paris National Bank, San Francisco Bankers' Trust Company, New York City
Continental & Commercial National Bank, Chicago, Ill.
First National Bank of Portland, Oregon
Guaranty Trust Company of New York
Guardian Savings & Trust Company, Cleveland, Ohio
Mercantile Bank of the Americas, New York City
National Bank of Commerce, Seattle, Washington
National Shawmut Bank, Boston, Mass.

## PARK-UNION

FOREIGN BANKING CORPORATION
Fully Paid Capital and Surplus $2,250,000
HEAD OFFICE, NEW YORK
Owned and controlled By
The National Park Bank, New York Union Bank of Canada

*BRANCHES:*
SAN FRANCISCO SEATTLE
PARIS TOKYO YOKOHAMA

*SHANGHAI BRANCH:* 1 Kiukiang Road. Telephone C. 1174

Interest allowed on both Current and Fixed Deposit Accounts; every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.

## THE SHANGHAI COMMERCIAL & SAVINGS BANK LTD.

AS a customer of this institution, you are entitled to the best business advice, all the facilities, and convenience of the Bank.

WE shall be pleased to meet you personally, and render you every possible assistance.

YOUR business is solicited with a pledge that it will be handled with accuracy, promptness and courtesy.

Cable Address: "COMSAVBANK"
K. P. Chen, General Manager.

## Provisions Prices In Local Markets

Prices quoted are in Mexican dollar cents at Hongkew Market compiled on April 13, 1920.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| **Butcher's Meat** | | |
| Beef | per lb. | 14-20 |
| Mutton | „ | 16-30 |
| Pork | „ | 25-30 |
| Veal | „ | 25-30 |
| **Fish** | | |
| Bream | per lb. | 18-20 |
| Cod | „ | 14-16 |
| Mandarin | „ | 30-40 |
| Mackerel | „ | 12-14 |
| Pomfret | „ | 30-40 |
| Salmon | „ | 18-20 |
| Samii | „ | none |
| Soles | „ | 18-20 |
| Whitebait | „ | 12-14 |
| **Game, Poultry And Eggs** | | |
| Deer | each | none |
| Duck | each | 60-80 |
| Hare | „ | none |
| Eggs | per doz. | 16-18 |
| Fowl | per lb. | 22-24 |
| Geese | each | 70-$1.00 |
| Partridge | „ | none |
| Pheasant | „ | none |
| Pigeons | „ | 20-25 |
| Quail | „ | 20-22 |
| Snipe | „ | 12-18 |
| Teal | „ | 16-18 |
| Turkey | per lb. | 60-65 |
| Woodcock | each | 35-45 |
| Wild Duck | „ | 35-40 |
| Wild Geese | „ | none |
| Wild Pigeons | „ | none |
| Plover | each | 10-15 |
| **Fruit** | | |
| Apricots | per lb. | none |
| Apples | „ | 16-20 |
| Bananas | „ | 8-10 |
| Figs | per doz. | none |
| Grapes | per lb. | none |
| Lemons | each | 6-7 |
| Lichees | per lb. | none |
| Mangoes | each | 25-35 |
| Oranges | per lb. | 12-16 |
| Peaches | per lb. | none |
| Pears | „ | 12-14 |
| Persimmons | „ | none |
| Peeboes | „ | none |
| Plums | „ | none |
| Pumeloes | each | 15-20 |
| Pineapples | | none |
| Strawberries | per lb. | none |
| Walnuts | per lb. | none |
| **Vegetables** | | |
| Artichokes | per lb. | 4-5 |
| Asparagus | per doz. | none |
| Broad Beans | per lb. | 4-5 |
| Beetroot | per bunch | 3-5 |
| Bamboo Shoots | per lb. | 6-8 |
| Cabbage | each | 5-10 |
| Carrots | per bunch | 3-4 |
| Cauliflower | each | 10-20 |
| Celery | per bunch | 2-16 |
| Egg Plant | per lb. | 8-10 |
| French Beans | „ | 12-14 |
| Green Corn | each | none |
| Leeks | per bunch | 3-5 |
| Mushrooms | per lb. | 40-50 |
| Onions | „ | 12-14 |
| Parsnips | per bunch | 3-8 |
| Peas | per lb. | 8-10 |
| Potatoes | per picul | $4.00-4.50 |
| Spinach | per lb. | 2-3 |
| Tomatoes | „ | 12-15 |
| Turnips | per bunch | 1-3 |
| **Grain And Flour** | | |
| Flour, American | 50 lbs. | $3.80 |
| Flour, Australian | „ | $3.50 |
| Flour, Shanghai | „ | $2.50 |
| Rice | 200 lb. | $8.40 |
| **Milk** | | |
| Foreign dairies | per bottle | 20 |
| Chinese dairies | „ | 17 |
| **Fuel** | | |
| House Coal | per ton | Tls. 18.00 |
| Stove Coal | „ | Tls. 22.00 |
| Firewood | per 50 bundles | $1.00 |
| **Laundry** | | |
| Per 100 articles | | $3.00-$4.00 |

F. J. W. Melville.
Chief Inspector.

## Banque Industrielle de Chine

Capital authorised Frs. 250,000,000
Capital subscribed „ 150,000,000
Capital paid up.... „ 75,000,000
Reserve ..... „ 30,000,000

One third of the Capital i. e. Frs. 50,000,000 subscribed by
THE GOVERNMENT OF THE CHINESE REPUBLIC

Statutes approved by the Government of the Chinese Republic on January 11th, 1913.

President: Andre Berthelot
General Manager: A. J. Peanovitch

HEAD OFFICE:
74 Rue Saint Lazare, Paris

BRANCHES:
Marseilles, Peking, Tientsin, Hankow, Shanghai, Vladivostock, Hongkong, Canton, Foochow, Yunnanfu, Saigon, Haiphong, Swatow and Yokohama.

BANKERS:
In London: The London Joint City & Midland Bank, Ltd., London.
In France: Societe Generale pour favoriser le Developement du Commerce & de l'Industrie en France.
In Italy: Banca Commerciale Italiana—Credito Italiano.
In New York: Messrs. Redmond & Co., New York.

Taels, Dollars, Gold Accounts

Interest allowed on current accounts in Gold or local currency and fixed deposits on application.

Every description of Banking and exchange business transacted. Savings accounts in Gold and local currency.

G. LION,
Manager.

## The Bank of East Asia, Ltd.

| | |
|---|---|
| Authorised Capital ..... | $2,000,000 |
| Paid up Capital ..... | 2,000,000 |
| Reserve Fund ..... | 200,000 |

Head Office:—2 Queen's Road Central, Hongkong.
Shanghai Branch:—30 The Bund.
London Bankers:—The London Joint Stock, London, City and Midland Bank Ltd.
Agencies and Correspondents in the principal Commercial centres of the world.

Every description of banking and exchange business transacted.
Loans granted on approved securities
Fixed and current deposit accounts opened on terms according to arrangement.

LI TSE FONG,
Manager.

## Sailed from Shanghai

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| **For San Francisco** | | |
| Stanley Dollar ..... | Mar. | 18 |
| Tenyo Maru ..... | Mar. | 14 |
| West Sequana ..... | Mar. | 15 |
| Ecuador ..... | Mar. | 23 |
| West Harts ..... | Mar. | 27 |
| Nanking ..... | Mar. | 28 |
| China ..... | Mar. | 31 |
| Shinyo Maru ..... | Apr. | 1 |
| West Ira ..... | Apr. | 5 |
| Satanta ..... | Apr. | 6 |
| **For Tacoma** | | |
| Africa Maru ..... | Mar. | 10 |
| Abercos ..... | Mar. | 23 |
| **For Seattle** | | |
| Wheatland Montana .. | Mar. | 17 |
| Fushimi Maru ..... | Mar. | 21 |
| Tajima Maru ..... | Apr. | 1 |
| Elkton ..... | Apr. | 3 |
| Miikesan Maru ..... | Apr. | 6 |
| Hwahwu ..... | Apr. | 7 |
| **For Portland** | | |
| Abercos ..... | Mar. | 23 |
| **For Vancouver** | | |
| Empress of Russia .. | Mar. | 14 |
| Empress of Japan .... | Apr. | 1 |
| Monteagle ..... | Apr. | 3 |
| Empress of Asia .... | Apr. | 14 |
| **For New York** | | |
| Tottori Maru ..... | Mar. | 10 |
| Melville Dollar ..... | Mar. | 13 |
| Toyohashi Maru ..... | Mar. | 25 |
| Winyah ..... | Apr. | 2 |
| Gaelic Prince ..... | Apr. | 8 |
| Amur Maru ..... | Apr. | 9 |
| **For London etc.** | | |
| Shidzuoka Maru .... | Mar. | 15 |
| Pembrokeshire ..... | Mar. | 17 |
| Hyson ..... | Mar. | 20 |
| Banca ..... | Apr. | 1 |
| Kaga Maru ..... | Apr. | 1 |
| Andes Maru ..... | Apr. | 4 |
| Knight Companion .. | Apr. | 7 |
| Eurypylus ..... | Apr. | 9 |
| Khiva ..... | Apr. | 13 |
| **For Liverpool** | | |
| Hector ..... | Mar. | 13 |
| **For Sabang (Netherland)** | | |
| Scotland Maru ..... | Apr. | 6 |
| **For Copenhagen** | | |
| Chile ..... | Mar. | 21 |
| **For Hamburg** | | |
| Dakar Maru ..... | Apr. | 3 |
| **For Marseilles** | | |
| Paul Lecat ..... | Apr. | 1 |
| **For Trieste** | | |
| Pilsna ..... | Mar. | 26 |
| **For Bombay** | | |
| Dunera ..... | Mar. | 13 |
| Dilwara ..... | Apr. | 18 |
| **For Calcutta** | | |
| Japan ..... | Mar. | 11 |
| Madras ..... | Mar. | 29 |
| Gregory Apcar ..... | Apr. | 3 |
| **For Saigon** | | |
| West Irmo ..... | Mar. | 28 |
| Hwahjah ..... | Apr. | 15 |
| **For Java** | | |
| Tjihodas ..... | Apr. | 4 |
| **For Sydney** | | |
| Hwahping ..... | Apr. | 9 |

# Financial And Commercial News

## ENJAMIN AND POTTS SHARE LIST
### Yesterday's Prices

| Stock | Closing Quotations |
|---|---|
| **Banks** | |
| K. and S. B. .. | $500 B. |
| artered ..... | £80 |
| nso-Asiatic .... | Rs. 250 |
| **arine Insurances** | |
| anton ..... | Tls. 445 |
| orth China ..... | Tls. 160 |
| nion of Canton . | Hk. 180 |
| angtsze ..... | $235 B. |
| ar Eastern Ins. Co., Ltd. .... | Tls. 23 B. |
| **Fire Insurances.** | |
| ina Fire ..... | $138 |
| ongkong Fire .. | $310 B. |
| **Shipping** | |
| do-China Def. .. | $210 |
| do-China Pref. . | $20 |
| hai" ..... | 215/- |
| anghai Tug ord. | Tls. 51 B. |
| anghai Tug pref | Tls. 84½ B. |
| **Mining** | |
| afping ..... | Tls. 22 S. |
| riental Cons. ... | 25/- |
| aub ..... | $1 |
| **Docks** | |
| ongkong Dock .. | Tls. 156 B |
| anghai Dock ... | Tls. 131 |
| ow Eng. Works . | Tls. 27¾ |
| **Wharves** | |
| anghai Wharf .. | Tls. 135 |
| ongkong Wharf | Tls. 84 B. |
| **ands and Hotels** | |
| nglo-French Land | Tls. 68½ B. |
| hina Land ..... | Tls. 50 |
| anghai Land ... | Tls. 61 B. |
| eihaiwei Land . | Tls. 8 |
| hai Hotels Ltd. . | Tls. 14 B. |
| hina Realty (ord ) | Tls. 68 |
| hina Realty (pref) | Tls. 50 |
| **Cotton Mills** | |
| wo (ord.) Tls. | Tls. 720 |
| wo Pref ..... | Tls. 82 |
| on-kung-mow .. | Tls. 400 |
| rient al ..... | Tls. 305 |
| anghai Cotton . | Tls. 400 |
| ungyik ..... | Tls. 70 |
| angtszepoo ..... | Tls. 47½ |
| angtszepoo Pref. . | Tls. 85 |
| **Industrials** | |
| utler Tiles ..... | Tls. 25 |
| hina Sugar ..... | Tls. 182 |
| reen Island ..... | Tls. 6½ |
| angkats ..... | Tls. 17 B. |
| ajor Bros ..... | Tls. 5 |
| hai Sumatra ... | Tls. 80 B. |
| **Stores** | |
| all & Holtz .... | Tls. 12½ |
| ewellyn ..... | $80 |
| ne, Crawford ... | Tls. 87½ B. |
| outrie ..... | $62 |
| atson ..... | $6.20 S. |
| eeks ..... | Tls. 11 |
| **Rubbers (Local)** | |
| ma ..... | Tls. 6½ B. |
| mherst ..... | Tls. 0.30 B. |
| nglo-Java ..... | Tls. 8¾ B. |
| nglo-Dutch ..... | Tls. 3.80 B. |
| yer Tawah ..... | Tls. 21 B. |
| tts Anam 1913 . | Tls. 0.80 B. |
| ukit Toh Alang . | Tls. 1.80 B. |
| ite ..... | Tls. 0.65 B. |
| hemor United .. | Tls. 0.00 B. |
| hempedak ..... | Tls. 5 B. |
| hebk ..... | Tls. 1½ B. |
| onsolidated ..... | Tls. 2.90 B. |
| ominion ..... | Tls. 5¾ B. |
| uls (Kaiumpong . | Tls. 5 B. |
| va Consolidated. | Tls. 13 B. |
| amunting ..... | Tls. 3½ B. |
| apala ..... | Tls. 0.30 B. |
| apayang ..... | Tls. 10 |
| aran ..... | Tls. 8.10 |
| ota Bahroe ..... | Tls. 5¼ B. |
| roewok Java ... | Tls. 12 B. |
| adang ..... | Tls. 7¼ B. |
| engkalay Durian . | Tls. 3½ B. |
| rmata ..... | Tls. 1 B. |
| epah ..... | Tls. 0.75 B. |
| nsgaga ..... | Tls. 0.65 B. |
| ekee ..... | Tls. 1.10 B. |
| mambu ..... | Tls. 0.80 B. |
| nawang ..... | Tls. 5¼ B. |
| anghai Klebang . | Tls. 0.70 B. |
| anghai Malay .. | Tls. 6 |
| hai Malay pref. . | Tls. 9½ B. |
| anghai Pahang . | Tls. 1 B. |
| ngala ..... | Tls. 0.50 |
| ngei Duri ..... | Tls. 7 B. |
| n Manggis .... | Tls. 3.65 B. |
| hai Kalantan .... | Tls. 0.40 B. |
| hai Seremban .... | Tls. 0.60 |
| iping ..... | Tls. 1 B. |
| anah Merah .... | Tls. 0.80 B. |
| bong ..... | Tls. 15 B. |
| obri ..... | Tls. 2½ |
| ngbe ..... | Tls. 5½ B. |
| **Miscellaneous** | |
| I & E. Lumber . | Tls. 350 |
| ulty Dairy ..... | Tls. 13 |
| anghai Trams .. | Tls. 65 B. |
| anghai Gas ..... | Tls. 15½ B. |
| orse Bazaar .... | Tls. 40 |
| anghai Mercury . | Tls 25 |
| hai Telephone .. | Tls. 74 |
| hai Waterworks . | Tls. 100 B. |

Sellers. Bs. Sales. B. Buyers.

### Sharebrokers' Association
Transactions

Shanghai, April 16, 1920.

OFFICIAL
Ziangbes Tls. 5.50 Cash
Chemors Tls. 0.92½ Cash
Dominions Tls. 6.00 Cash
UNOFFICIAL
Dominions Tls. 5.75 Cash
Anglo Javas Tls. 8.85 Cash
Padangs Tls. 7.75 Cash
See Hee Tls. 1.10 Cash
Taiping Tls. 1.10 Cash
Ziangbes Tls. 5.75 June
Anglo Javas Tls. 9.50 June

### Shanghai Produce & Stock Exchange
Transactions

Shanghai, April 16, 1920.
Yangtszepoo Cotton Mill Ltd.
Tls. 46.00 May
Japan-China S. & W. Co.
Tls. 42.70 April
Tls. 43.90 May
Shanghai P. & S. Exchange
Tls. 44.70 May
Tls. 46.00 June
Water Moon 16/20's
Tls. 189.50 April
Tls. 192.00 May
Tls. 192.00 June

## Exchange and Bullion

Shanghai, April 16, 1920.
**Money and Bullion**
Sovereigns: buying rate,
@ 6/3 = Tls. 3.20
@ exch. 73.8 = Mex. $4.34
Gold Dollars: Bank buying rate,
@ 124¼ = Tls. 0.80
@ 73.8 = Mex. $1.09
Mex. Dollars: Market Rate 73.5125
Shanghai Gold Bars: 978 touch Tls. 188
Bar Silver 998 touch ... Tls. 111
Copper Cash per tael Tls. 187.000
Native Interest ..... Tls. 07

**Latest London Quotations**
Bar Silver ..... 68d.
Bank Rate of Discount ..... 6%
Market Rate of Discount:
3 m/s. ..... 5¾ %
4 m/s. ..... 5⅞ %
6 m/s. ..... 6% ..
Ex., Paris on London Fr.
Ex., New York on London T.T. G.$3.96

**Exchange Opening Quotations**

| | |
|---|---|
| London ..... | T.T. 6/3 |
| London ..... | Demand 6/3¼ |
| India ..... | T.T. 272 |
| Paris ..... | T.T. 2000 |
| Paris ..... | Demand 2003 |
| New York ..... | T.T. 124 |
| New York ..... | Demand 124¼ |
| Hongkong ..... | T.T. 73 |
| Japan ..... | T.T. 38 |
| Batavia ..... | T.T. 318½ |

**Bank's Buying Rates**

| | |
|---|---|
| London ....4 m/s. Cdts. | 6/7½ |
| London ....4 m/s. Docy. | 6/7¾ |
| London ....6 m/s. Cdts. | 6/8¾ |
| London ....6 m/s. Docy. | 6/9 |
| Paris ..... 4 m/s. | 2180 |
| New York..4 m/s. Docy. | 134¾ |

**Tourists' Exchange**
@ Bank's Closing Demand Buying Rates
£10 @ exch. 6/5½ = Sh. Tls. 30.97
G.$50 @ exch. 128 = Sh. Tls. 39.06
Fr. 250 @ exch. 2100 = Sh. Tls. 11.90
1 Shanghai Tael = Mex. $1.36 at Bank's selling rate for Mexican Dollars.

### BANKS SELLING RATE FOR MARKS

| | |
|---|---|
| Marks 5,500 ..... | = Tls. 100 |
| „ 100 ..... | = Mex. $2.48 |

### ROUBLES EXCHANGE
Today's Bank Buying Rate
For Roubles

| | |
|---|---|
| Roubles 11,500 ..... | = Tls. 100 |
| „ 100 ..... | = Mex. $1.13 |

**Exchange Shop Rates**

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Buying: | 100 | Old Roubles | $1.65 |
| „ | 100 | New „ | $1.10 |
| Selling: | 100 | Old „ | $1.75 |
| „ | 100 | New „ | $1.20 |

**CUSTOMS HOUSE EXCHANGE RATES FOR APRIL**

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Hk. Tls. | 2.44 | @ 7/4¼ | $1 |
| „ | 1 | @ 2163 | Fr. 24.10 |
| „ | 0.64 | @ 141¼ | Gold $1 |
| „ | 1 | @ 32½ | Yen. 3.43 |
| „ | 1 | @ 314½ | Rs. 3.50 |
| „ | 1 | @ 1.50 | Mex. $1.50 |
| „ | 1 | @ — | Roubles — |

### Stock Exchange
Transactions

Shanghai, April 16, 1920.
OFFICIAL
Anglo Javas Tls. 8.65
Tls. 8.75 Cash
Tls. 9.40 June
Anglo Dutch Tls. 3.90
Chemors Tls. 0.90
Chempedaks Tls. 5.00
Tls. 5.25
Consolidated Tls. 2.78 XD.
Dominions Tls. 6.00
Senawangs Tls. 5.50
Tls. 5.75
Shanghai Klebangs Tls. 0.70
Shanghai Pahangs Tls. 1.00
Tebongs Tls. 15.50
Ziangbes Tls. 5.60
Tls. 5.75 Cash
Tls. 5.75 June
Sua Mangkis Tls. 3.75
Shanghai Lands Tls. 82.00
Shanghai Docks Tls. 132.00 June
Telephones Tls. 74.00
UNOFFICIAL
Almas Tls. 6.50
Anglo Javas Tls. 9.50 June
Anglo Dutch Tls. 3.90
Chemors Tls. 0.92½
Tls. 0.95
Consolidated Tls. 3.00
Tls. 2.95
Dominions Tls. 6.00
Kamuntings Tls. 4.00
Kota Bahroes Tls. 5.50
Senawangs Tls. 6.00
Taipings Tls. 1.10
Tebongs Tls. 15.50
Ziangbes Tls. 5.50
Chinese Engineering & Mining Tls. 20.00
Ewo Cotton (ord.) Tls. 735.00 June
LangKats (Com.) Tls. 17.25
Sumatras Tls. 80.00
Shanghai & Hongkew Wharf Tls. 135.00
Interal Loan 1915 Tls. 71.00
Kungyik Cotton Tls. 70.00 June

## Rubber Prices

Messrs. R. N. Truman and Co. have received the following telegraphic report from their Singapore Agents in connection with the auctions held on April 14.

Average price realised:

No. 1 Smoked Sheet $0.89 per pound equivalent to 2s. 1¼d. ex warehouse Singapore.

No. 1 Crepe $0.87 per pound equivalent to 2s. 0¾d. ex warehouse Singapore.

Market rather weaker: Offered 655 tons; sold 377 tons.

## Shanghai Gas Co., Ltd.

**REPORT FOR 1919**

The directors present the annual report and statement of accounts for 1919.

The profit on working account amounted to Tls. 170,986.74 as compared with Tls. 233,558.34 for 1918, a decrease of Tls. 62,571.60.

The net profit for the year amounted to Tls. 133,833.25 against Tls. 189,306.91, a decrease of Tls. 55,473.66.

The balance at credit of profit and loss account, including the sum of Tls. 15,567.79 carried forward after appropriation of the profits of 1918, and the transfer from renewals and depreciation account of Tls. 60,000.00, amounts to Tls. 209,401.04, of which sum the directors recommend appropriation as follows:

| | Tls. |
|---|---|
| To pay a dividend for the year 1919, on 24,000 shares at 4 percent, Tls. 2.00 per share ..... | 48,000.00 |
| To write off for depreciation of buildings. | 4,076.35 |
| To write off for depreciation of Manufacturing and distributing plant ..... | 126,144.75 |
| To write off for depreciation of furniture. | 233.16 |
| To write off for depreciation of fittings... | 12,001.20 |
| | Tls. 142,455.46 |
| To carry forward to new account ..... | 18,945.58 |
| | Tls. 209,401.04 |

Directorate.—The directors record with deep regret the death of Mr. E. Jenner Hogg and Mr. C. W. Wrightson. The late Mr. Hogg first joined the board of directors on March 17, 1870, and resigned his seat on April 6, 1877, but on April 3, 1885, was again invited to join the board and resumed his seat 13 days later. On March 15, 1895, he was elected chairman and continued in that capacity until his decease. The late Mr. Wrightson first joined the board on January 24, 1913, and was an active director until the time of his death which occurred on June 30, 1919.

To fill the positions created by the death of these gentlemen Messrs. E. I. Ezra and L. E. Canning were invited to join the board. Mr. G. A. Richardson having resigned his seat on the board, the directors invited Mr. F. C. Butcher to fill the vacancy. The appointment of these three gentlemen requires confirmation at the ordinary annual meeting.

In accordance with the articles of association Mr. F. Ayscough retires but, being eligible, offers himself for re-election.

Audit.—Messrs. Lowe, Bingham and Matthews offer themselves for re-election as auditors.

## Cotton Market

Messrs. A. B. Rosenfeld and Son, write as follows in their Weekly Cotton Market Report dated April 16:

China Cotton.—The developments in the situation during the past week have occasioned only moderate price changes, and the not result of the week's trading is an advance of five mace. At the close, the predominating sentiment seemed to be in favor of higher prices, but the uncertainty which is being felt regarding the "Exchange" outlook has prevented the broadening of speculation, and if operations could be analysed it would probably be found that a good portion of the business consisted of the evening-up of old transactions and a fair volume of switching of different months in addition to moderate buying by mills.

The attention of the trade has been divided between the manipulative tactics of local operators displayed in their juggling of both the old and new crop positions, while the question of the marketing of the remainder of the present crop is more and more losing interest. Attention should, however, be directed to the fact that quite a number of domestic mills have been of late supplying themselves freely against their sales and in anticipation of a continued good trade demand.

On the whole, the outlook as it appears today does not seem to warrant the expectation of extreme fluctuations, and the probability therefore is for a continuance of a rather narrow market until the situation shapes itself in a more decided manner and conservatism should therefore be the keynote of any operations entered into at the present time.

Yarn.—During the past few days a sensational drop has taken place in Sampin and our explanation given, without prejudice, may be of interest.

It would appear that speculators on the Osaka Stock Exchang having made considerable purchases of stocks at high prices and fore-seeing a possible decline in values due to tightness of money, hedged by selling Sampin short at the highest prices approximately Yen 680 to Yen 690 and continued bearing the yarn market, hoping to buy both their sales at a figure which would more than cover the difference in their share transactions; therefore, in our opinion, the yarn market in Japan must recover as sharply as it declined.

Naturally the local market has responded to the slump to a small extent, in speculative circles, but this should cause no uneasiness to genuine purchasers. Mills have sold well into October.

Liverpool, April 9, 1920.

| Liverpool Market: | Pence |
|---|---|
| Egyptian F. G. F. Sakellaridis | 86.00 |
| M. G. Fine Scinde and Bengal | 16.00 |
| Good Middling American, Spot | 28.03 |
| „ „ „ May | 24.95 |
| „ „ „ July | 23.35 |

Market: Easier.

New York, April 15, 1920.

| New York Market: | |
|---|---|
| May ..... | 41.85 Cents |
| July ..... | 39.48 „ |
| October ..... | 35.83 „ |
| Spot ..... | 43.00 „ |

Market: Firm.

Bombay, April 15, 1920.

| Indian Market: | |
|---|---|
| Broach ..... | 486 Rps. per Khandy |

Market: Steady.

| Shanghai Market: | Tls. |
|---|---|
| Shensi, Spot ..... | 33.00 |
| Tungchow, Spot ..... | 32.75 |
| Tungchow, May-June ..... | 33.00 |
| Shanghai, Spot ..... | 27.50 |
| Shanghai, M-Ginned, Spot ... | 28.00 |

Tone of the market: Steady.

Messrs. J. Spunt and Co. report as follows:

China Cotton.—Hardly any change transpired in the rates since the issue of our last report and although comparatively little business was consummated either with the mills or among the speculative element and notwithstanding the weakness in the yarn situation, prices at the close assumed a certain steadiness which may be attributed more or less to the continued dropping silver exchange and the persistent firmness in Mid-Americans now existent.

In regard to new crop preparations the weather has been all that could be desired and during the early part of next month planting should be well under way. For the present, however, no forecast can be formulated as to the size of the area that will be devoted to the Cotton plant this coming season; but having in view the fact of the farmers' labors on this commodity being well recompensed all along since the 1917-1918 crop, one may confidently look forward to a greater area being set apart this year for the cultivation of this important fiber, as the economic conditions now prevailing throughout the world tend to indicate an ever growing capacity to absorb ever increasing raw produce and particularly raw Cotton. Tone of the market, steady.

# INDOOR SPORTS By Tad

WHAT ON EARTH IS THIS?
K'MON IN HERE I'M GONNA GIT A' DIME FER WATCHIN' YOU
WA!!
OH MAMA MRS WATTS WANTT TO KNOW IF YOU'LL MIND VIRGINIA THIS AFT WHILE SHE GOES TO THE MATINEE
OH MA - MRS GREEN PROMISED ME A NICKEL IF I'D TAKE CARE OF HER CAT TODAY
I GOT THE BEST OF A LA - MR BUTTS TOLD ME I COULD TAKE JOCKO FOR A RUN - IF I'D KEEP THE ROPE ON HIM - HEY JOCKO
INDOOR SPORTS
MAKING YOUR HOUSE A GARAGE FOR KIDS, DOGS AND CATS WHEN YOUR NEIGHBORS GO SHOPPING OR TO A MATINEE.

## WITH AUTO FLEET DAVISON GOES TO GENEVA MEETING

### And Lady Ribblesdale Defies The Rail Strike By Sailing To London In A Plane

BY C. F. BERTELLI

Paris, March 1.—Before the railroad strike collapsed, Henry Davison, fearing the possibility of having to give up his trip to the Geneva Red Cross Congress, whispered to the manager of the Ritz.

This morning a fleet of five automobiles rolled up to the hotel and a few moments later were bound for Geneva with the Red Cross party of fifty persons.

George C. Clark and J. Prentice, both of New York, engaged a bimotor 600 horsepower airplane and soared toward London immediately after the Auteuil races.

Lady Ribblesdale, formerly Mrs. John Jacob Astor, also engaged an airplane and departed for London. Lord Northcliffe, who was anxious to be in London when Mr. Asquith made his re-entry into Parliament, engaged an auto to take him to Boulogne. He planned to cross the Channel on a fast yacht.

Tonight the Perry Belmonts are motoring toward Nice, where they will rest for a fortnight before they sail for America.

Mrs. Charles Deering, of New York, who has been visiting her daughter here, and Chauncey MacCormick, were among those who started for London by airplane.

### Passengers Arrived

Per C.N. s.s. Hsin Peking from Ningpo: Miss Manigon, Mr. Buma, Mr. A. J. Marr.

Per C.M. s.s. Haean from Wenchow: Mrs. Ashley, Mrs. Cance, Dr. Stedeford, Mr. Sobie.

Per N.S. s.s. Hsin Ningshao from Ningpo: Messrs. Walteso, Melchers.

Per C.M. s.s. Hsinming from Tientsin: Mrs. Marshall and child, Mr. and Mrs. Johnson and child, Mr. Dyatt and 2 children, Mrs. Pearson.

Per C.N. s.s. Wuchang from Hankow: Mr. R. C. Short.

Per N.Y.K. s.s. Katori Maru from Hongkong: Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Wehrhane, Misses F. E. Balfin, Edith Greenough, R. Greenough, Mrs. E. Satow and infant, Mr. H. H. des Remedios, Misses S. M. Remedios, Osmund, E. Osmund, Mrs. M. J. R. Osmund, Mrs. E. M. A. Carvalho, Mrs. J. H. Carvalho, Mrs. C. R. Carvalho, Mrs. N. L. Smith and 2 children, Miss E. W. Thom, Eng-Com. A. W. J. Turner, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Castro and child, Dr. T. H. Wu, Mrs. L. N. Leefe, Mrs. McPonta, Mrs. Lepetit, Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Silas, Mrs. A. A. Basto and 3 children, Mrs. C. R. D'Almeida, Mrs. Baller, Mr. and Mrs. A. Trudinger, Misses F. Dibley, E. J. Crystall, E. M. Smith, Mrs. L. E. Bryant, Rev. and Mrs. T. Y. Gilfillan, Mr. and Mrs. Chow Tu Sei and 2 children, Mr. and Mrs. N. Lilangujn, Mrs. S. E. Senna, Mr. and Mrs. F. Weiss and 3 children, Mr. and Mrs. Vogt and 2 children, Mr. and Mrs. K. Eckart, Messrs. R. E. Quaintance, A. H. Carvalho, A. E. Castro, H. S. Philp, K. P. Fen, W. D. Bonner, G. C. Holbrook, E. F. Peirce, L. C. Winters, W. R. Dunham, H. O. Cartensen, M. H. Namazee, M. Kraevsky, W. Lloyd, Del Amicrindo.

### Passengers Departed

Per I-O. s.s. Suiwo for Hankow: Messrs. H. A. Irkin, Thorburn.

Per N.Y.K. s.s. Katroi Maru for Seattle and Japan: Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Baker, Miss Rouse, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Rouse, Miss M. J. Ramsten, Bishop Bannister, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Sutliff, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. B. Remedios, and 3 children, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Whiteside and 2 children, Rev. and Mrs. T. Caldwell, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Ferguson, Mr. and Mrs. Rubini, Messrs. John Cecil Burgess, James Alfred Pearson, Robert C. Harrison, R. W. Davis, Clarence Love, Carl Neprud, B. M. Smith, Yang Wilfrid Gibson Saunders, W. D. Hopson, H. Bermaid, Fruin, C. Larsen, G. E. Ganahl, C. L. W. Baily, Kokko, Thor. Thoresen.


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**WEATHER**

*Overcast or cloudy weather, possibly clearing up. Light and variable breezes, with local calms along the whole coast.*

## American Workmen Now Favor Prohibition

RECENT news from the United States has tended to indicate that there might exist a fleeting chance for John Barleycorn to stage a "come-back." Sir Oliver Lodge has been touring America, telling our people that spirits do come back, and perhaps some of our devoted citizens have misinterpreted his message. They may have thought that he was referring to the spirit of the recently interned J. B.

Anyway, The Literary Digest got interested and when The Literary Digest gets interested it goes right to the people who ought to know what it wants to find out. In this case it wanted to ascertain how the working people were taking prohibition. It could not address cards to the workers individually because there are too many of them. But it did address cards to the officials of the various unions, who in most cases put the matter up to their unions and then forwarded their replies. The replies of 526 labor leaders are summarised in the Digest of March 13. They voted as follows:

| | |
|---|---|
| Prohibition a benefit to the workingman | 345 |
| Prohibition not a benefit to the workingman | 143 |
| Doubtful | 31 |
| Prohibition has not been given a fair trial | 7 |
| Total | 526 |

Here is one of the sample cards, which the Digest reproduces:

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Has prohibition been a benefit to the workingmen and their families? | Yes | X |
| | No | |
| Do the workers approve the deportation of the "red" agitators? | Yes | X |
| | No | |

Remarks: Six thousand workingmen here voted themselves dry and would not care to go back to the old open saloon conditions. Montana has been dry thirteen months. Many notorious drunkards have paid up old debts, are well dressed, happy and contented. We approve the deportation of radicals and would like to see more of them shipped out of the country.

Your Name: E. B. Catlin.

Official Position: Secretary Central Labor Council of Anaconda.

Address: 315 West Sixth Street, Anaconda, Montana.

Commenting on the replies the Digest says:

Replies came from every State in the Union. In sparsely settled sections, perhaps a reply does not represent the opinion of more than a few hundreds, while another "yes" or "no" may represent from five to fifty thousand. Many are emphatic, yet some answer either "yes" or "no" with "reservations." A few—twenty-two to be exact—tell us that prohibition has been a benefit, but that the workingman thinks there should be a substitute for intoxicating liquors, such as beer and light wines. One replies to the effect that "seventy-five thousand workmen have lost their jobs through prohibition," but admits that the opinion does not represent the membership of his particular union; another states as his personal belief that prohibition will deter emigration to this country. Two say emphatically that prohibition is one of the main reasons for the prevalence of unrest in this country.

The majority, however, confine their answers to either "yes" or "no," although hundreds add remarks in a space provided for that purpose. In eighteen instances where an oral vote was taken at the regular meeting, it was decided without a dissenting voice that prohibition "has been a benefit to the workingman and his family." Many organisations passed resolutions disapproving or favoring prohibition; twelve report in favor of prohibition "by unanimous vote," which, added to the eighteen above, totals thirty, and five unions voted unanimously against prohibition having been a benefit. Several organisations take the pains to assure us that their membership is "100 percent American."

A report from western Massachusetts states that 176 deaths from liquor substitutes have occurred in that section since prohibition went into effect, many of which were from the drinking of wood-alcohol. In Maine, they have another brand, "Pride of the Cemetery," which is even more deadly than "Wild Cat," one of Georgia's favorites, which has a kick like a mule's, we are told. "What is the difference between good whisky at two dollars a quart and 'moonshine' at sixteen dollars " one labor-leader queries, and adds that the workingman who wants whisky "will get it anyway." A California union secretary writes that his organisation has gone "on record time and time again against prohibition," and that machinists there are doing a huge business in the manufacturing of stills. Personally, says this man, he has never entered a saloon, yet has always had wine with his meals; now, of course, he can not even do that.

Eight "reservations" which appear in the replies contend that, while prohibition may be all right should have been left to a vote of the people, and that the elimination of the taxes paid by brewers, distillers, wholesalers, and retailers of liquors shifts this burden to the shoulders of the public. Twelve officials reply that, in forcing prohibition upon the people, the Government has abridged the liberties of the workers.

"Come around for an answer a year from now," suggests a Delaware secretary-treasurer, who thinks prohibition has not been tried out sufficiently, and another secretary from South Carolina offers to help suppress the manufacture of whisky if we will "give him good beer." "There is no such thing as prohibition," declares this official; "the man who wants liquor will get it anyway—mostly the worst kind." "How about all the deaths from wood-alcohol and other poisons?" another asks. "Prohibition is a financial help to the worker, but is causing great discontent," asserts a Colorado official, and his statement is borne out by half a dozen others who declare that it has even increased crime in this country. One humorously inclined union secretary from Pennsylvania says that "the workingman has little time to figure out the booze question, it keeps him busy figuring out the way to exist." "Besides," he adds, "we have good water here. Why don't you 'sick' the prohibitionists on the profiteers?"

"No man has a right to dictate to another what he shall eat or drink except the doctor," asserts a Massachusetts labor secretary, and a Missouri union official contends that we should have local option. "Forcing prohibition upon the people is contrary to the laws of freedom," he declares. "Prohibition creates agitators," says an official of the Policemen's Union of Massachuetts—who should be in a position to know—and another labor official in the same State assures us that prohibition "injures the health and morals of the worker."

When the question was put to a secretary of a painters' local in Oklahoma he laconically replied: "Has prohibition been a benefit? Not in Oklahoma." A Michigan official thinks that government distribution of liquor or the well-regulated sale of that commodity would solve the problem. "Prohibition strictly enforced," he claims, "makes for as much misery and whisky-drinking as we had before prohibition went into effect." "If prohibition really prohibited it would be a good thing for everybody," declares a secretary from the State where "moonshiners" sell "wild-cat" at sixteen dollars a quart, "but any one knows that a man who wants whisky will always get it."

A New Hampshire labor secretary declares that the reason they are against prohibition is that there has not been any noticeable financial improvement in the workers since prohibition went into effect. "On the contrary," says another New Hampshire official, "there have been more deaths and murders in the period since prohibition went into effect than there were in the same period last year."

"Prohibition has taken away rights that belonged to us," avows a New Jersey secretary-treasurer, and a national official with headquarters in Brooklyn says that when the majority votes in favor of prohibition the workers will obey the law, but that "they strongly protest against having prohibition thrust upon them, and emphatically state that such procedure is wrong in principle." The same sentiments are contained in replies from two other Brooklyn union organisations. In New York City a national secretary declares that the membership of his particular union consider the present law "too drastic." A statement from Oklahoma agrees in the main with this, and adds that "whereas there were only seven saloons on Main Street before the enforcement of prohibition, now there are Choctaw 'blind pigs' in every other house, and you can get all the corn whisky you want for twenty dollars a quart. Every blacksmith in town knows how to make a still, and all the farmers in this country grow corn, so there are more drunks on the street than there ever were before."

Having permitted the minority to give its reasons why prohibition has not been a benefit to workingmen and their families, we now turn to the opposition, which claims for prohibition many virtues and benefits. As stated in the beginning, 345 of the 526 officials replying are in favor of prohibition. Some are merely in favor, while others are emphatically so. Some replies are sprinkled with such adjectives as "positively," "emphatically," "absolutely," "decidedly," and "unquestionably," and two officials say, "Why, of course, we are in favor of prohibition; what a ridiculous question!" One Washington union official declares that he has worked for prohibition in that State for twenty years and that his organisation is unreservedly for prohibition. A Pennsylvania secretary claims that prohibition has been a great cause for clear thinking among the workers, and another Washington district organiser tells us that prohibition has developed independence in the worker.

An Illinois secretary says that he is not a "dry man," but that it is his honest conviction that "'booze' will ruin the best of men," and another Illinois union official from a coal-mining community gives as his interesting opinion the fact that in that vicinity they attribute the success of the coal-miners' negotiations to the fact that prohibition was the rule. "It kept men's brains clear and kept a little money in their pockets while the negotiations were going on," he adds. This statement is indorsed by another coal-mining representative in the southern part of Illinois.

A Kansas official tells us that his organisation believes that prohibition has been a benefit to workingmen and their families, "yet they favor light wines and beer." Out in Montana, where "bad booze brings fifty cents a drink," a union secretary favors us with the following interesting news:

"During the prohibition fight certain officials of labor-unions, at the instigation and in the pay of the 'wet' interests, campaigned the State in autos, proclaiming that they represented a certain number of union men and women, who were opposed to making Montana dry.

"Other members of the same unions, in several instances, inserted advertisements in the daily papers to the effect that the campaigners were representing nothing but their own interests, and the interests of the persons who were financing the propaganda work."

From Texas comes the theory that "with booze gone and reason restored" the era of unrest will soon pass, while other union secretaries in New York and Michigan give identical statements to the effect that "since prohibition is in force, the workers are capable of clearer thinking and do more of it. Consequently the labor movement is sure to advance as private stocks and 'bootleggers' decrease." A Massachusetts secretary tells us that "money which formerly bought whisky is now buying happiness for the workingman's family."

"Prohibition now, henceforth, and forever!" is the slogan of a New Orleans union official, and a Florida secretary declares emphatically that prohibition has been a benefit to workingmen and their families, and thanks us for the opportunity of voting. From Iowa comes detailed reasons why the majority of the Executive Board of the State Federation of Labor favors prohibition:

"Prohibition has been a benefit to organised laboring men and women. Trade-union activities are directed principally along two lines—the securing of better wages and working conditions, and legislation that will be beneficial to labor. . . . You ask about their families. I take the position—and it is not original—that anything that is of real benefit to the workingman is of equal benefit to his family. I believe that a dollar invested in the home or for food or clothing is better for the family than the same dollar invested in liquor would be.

"Before prohibition became effective the 'wet' and 'dry' issue entered into nearly every political campaign in the nation. State, county, and municipality. The result was that a great number of laboring men voted for a candidate who was 'wet' or 'dry' and paid little attention to his attitude on questions which were of vital interest to laboring men and women. It was a difficult matter to get laboring men to unite on a candidate who was fair with labor, as they were usually split by the injection of the 'wet' and 'dry' issue. We have now eliminated this question, and it will be easier to get our own membership aligned with candidates for public office who are fair when labor legislation is being considered. I believe that the future elections will show this to be a fact."

"We are now building homes for families and children with the money which we used to spend for whisky, and our families are better fed and clothed," asserts a California union official, and a Colorado secretary echoes this sentiment.

"God bless our prohibition leaders!" cries a Louisiana union official; "prohibition is a blessing to the workingmen of America." A Maine secretary believes that prohibition "protects the weak man or boy not only from himself but from his friends; it is making new men out of derelicts every day," he adds. One secretary from Massachusetts who is for prohibition nevertheless protests against the "bitter hop-beers sold since 1914," and another Massachusetts union official "hankers for his beer," although he admits that "prohibition is doing a lot of good." The desire for beer is echoed by many other officials in different States, although each agrees that whisky and brandy should be under the prohibition ban. One secretary in Missouri who represents 225,000 members tells us that the majority are in favor of prohibition, and another Missouri Assistant Chief of Police declares that "the more the workingmen see of prohibition the better they like it."

"Prohibition means the salvation of union labor," we are told by a business agent of the Shipping Union of California. A union secretary from New Jersey says that "outside the Declaration of Independence, the Prohibition Amendment is the best thing that has happened to this glorious country." From Alabama, Illinois, Washington, and Massachusetts come statements to the effect that crime has decreased during the era of prohibition. A union official of Portland (Ore.) declares that while the organisation of which he is the secretary is made up of Greeks, Italians, Turks, and negroes, "they are unanimously for prohibition." A Montana secretary tells us that 95 percent of the organised workers are benefited by prohibition, and a Washington secretary of an international union wishes to go on record as saying that "prohibition has been one of the greatest blessings to the workers, and that they are truly grateful for it." In conclusion, he adds, "in making this statement, I speak for the great majority."

## Correspondence

**BEAUTY vs. CHIVALRY**

Editor, THE CHINA PRESS

Dear Sir.—The fact that I perused a letter signed "Only a Girl" would not have caused me to address this to you, had I not read also the replies of "Mitrailleuse," "One of Her Heroes" and "Only a Man":

In the first place I would like to say that "Only a Girl" can write quite a good letter and in fact I would not mind hearing from her myself. Then again, secondly (as the parson says) her natural womanly feelings probably prompted her to criticise an individual, not the whole of the Shanghai Foreign Police, who undoubtedly are a first-class body of men.

Referring to the "Mitrailleuse" spasm it counts for nothing and does not do him credit. "Only a Girl" evidently attempted, and very cleverly, too, to put some sugar around the pill. Personally, I think "Mitrailleuse could quite reasonably be accused of a "flippant" epistle himself.

"One of her Heroes" has picked on a fine *nom de plume*, but don't you think, sir, that this hero business is just about a "wash-out"? Anyhow, I'm pretty sure the general populace, with the glamor of war fast receding into the past, doesn't take this hero talk very seriously.

"Only a Girl" stated a fact; that she witnessed a foreign policeman elbowing Chinese pedestrians off the narrow footpath. In their replies both "Mitrailleuse" and "One of Her Heroes" simply talk a lot of twaddle without keeping to the point. By the way, I have some "vari-colored pieces of ribbon" kicking around somewhere, myself, and the only one I value is the 1914 ribbon, which I'm proud of and which I have never worn, but even when I do I can promise this, that my chest will not expand above normal although I'll admit I might have a little proud feeling, which will be shared by myself alone; for with such a lot of ribbons about mine will not be noticed.

Does "Mitrailleuse" know what the word really means? It's rather a peculiar *nom de plume*.

"Only a Man" writes the only sensible reply of the three and I endorse it. Finally I would suggest "One of Her Heroes" should get his mind off his ribbons and read "Only a Man" through again and take note, or rather, learn how a sensible man can write. Amen.

Yours, etc.

"BRITISH COLONIAL."

Shanghai, April 15, 1920.

## 18 National Parks Now

### Their Total Area Is 10,739 Square Miles, Or 6,873,960 Acres

The Secretary of the Interior in his annual report to the President of the United States says that the total area of the eighteen national parks is now 10,739 square miles, or 6,873,960 acres, and the area of the twenty-three national monuments is 1,931 square miles or 1,235,840 acres. There is one national park on the Hawaiian Islands and one in Alaska. There are two monuments in Alaska, which are under the jurisdiction of the National Park Service, and the others are in the States west of the Mississippi. The national parks now cover an area greater than Massachusetts and Delaware combined.

The national park system is not yet complete, the Secretary reports. He says that several new national parks should be added and that there should be some important extensions to a number of the existing parks. He gives the following as examples:

"Sequoia National Park should be enlarged to include adjacent areas and the name changed to Roosevelt National Park. The Teton Mountains and the grand scenic territory of the Jackson Hole region, south of the present Yellowstone National Park, should be added to that park. The Diamond Lake region, in Oregon, should be added to Crater Lake National Park. Mount Rainier National Park should take in Ohahapecosh Hot Springs. The Mount Evans region, in Colorado, is desirable for inclusion in Rocky Mountain National Park, and changes to round out and modify the boundaries of Yosemite National Park would undoubtedly be desirable. Glacier National Park should be extended to the park highway now traversing the Blackfeet Indian Reservation. Zion National Monument, in Utah, will undoubtedly receive national park status during the year of 1920."

The Secretary says that efforts extending over a period of many years to make the Grand Canon a national park had their culmination in the approval by the President on February 26, 1919, of the act establishing this park. This titanic example of erosion, with its area of 958 square miles, now included in the park system, is the most sublime spectacle of its kind in the world, and it is truly a great satisfaction to have it perpetually reserved from private aggression for the enjoyment of our people, the Secretary reports. Continuing, he says:

"The nucleus of an administrative force has been installed, and work will quickly be gotten under way toward opening up this wonderland to the traveling public by rail and motor. The crying need of all this section of the country is good roads. Only 440 miles distant from Salt Lake City the north rim of the canyon, at present reached by a makeshift roadway and not developed to any degree of satisfaction, has a great future. The south rim of this great abyss is better known to the visiting public, due to its greater accessibility by railroads.

"Another event of the year of surpassing importance in park annals is the establishment of the first national park east of the Mississippi, namely, the Lafayette National Park, lying on the coast of Maine, near the city of Bar Harbor. This was formerly the Sieur de Monts National Monument. Its creation was the result of efforts of a whole souled, public-spirited body of men, of which President Emeritus Charles W. Eliot, of Harvard, and George B. Dorr, the present superintendent, were the prime movers. In addition to its unique distinction as the first national park in the East, it has the added attraction of being our first national park on the sea."

The practicability of using airplanes for fire patrols over forest areas has already been proven, and arrangements for patrolling national park areas at regular intervals, particularly the Yosemite and Sequoia Parks, which are close to Mather Flying Field, near Sacramento, Cal., are contemplated. "The feasibility of air service in Yosemite Park," the Secretary said, "was established when Lieut. J. S. Krull, flight commander at Mather Field, piloted the first airplane into the valley, effecting a perfect landing after a flight started at Merced, Cal., and lasting one hour and five minutes. The first airplane to fly over Rocky Mountain National Park landed near the Stanley Hotel, at that park—a Curtiss biplane, piloted by I. B. Humphreys, being used. Although tentative proposals to operate aircraft in various parks for passenger transportation purposes have been made at various times, no definite complete proposition has been submitted. Aerotransportation to, from, and between some of the parks may eventually be a popular feature in the development of tourist travel. Flying fields have already been suggested for Lafayette and the Grand Canyon National Parks."

## The Law And Business

(*New York Times*)

Congress and the courts have made a good recovery from their belief that business was in more need of control than of support, and that the statutes were wiser and more virtuous than the practice of good merchants. On the same day that the theory of the Northern Securities "conspiracy" against trade is embodied in the new railway law the Supreme Court declines to approve capital punishment in the form of dissolution of the Steel "Trust," which is surely the biggest of the "trusts." One Justice of the Supreme Court still speaks in the tone of the Government's brief on the appeal from the decision of the Federal Court in New Jersey, the State which is both the mother of trusts and of the famous but forgotten "three sisters" law, which was to abolish trusts and which never had any effect on them.

The Government's plea was that size of a combination is in itself a crime, not to be condoned by reasonable or even virtuous conduct. As in the Northern Securities case, the power to do evil was alleged to be an evil in itself, and the plea in defense that evil was not done was inadmissible. The law was broken by the act of combination, and subsequent good conduct was no defense. Besides, the combination of combinations was overgrown unwieldy, inefficient, and the plea of the necessity of large units in world trade was as wrong economically as legally.

In the lower court as now in the highest court there was a judicial minority which held that there was an actual as well as a theoretical monopoly and that it had been used oppressively. Such theories of trade practices and morals are now as defunct as the dodo. The case would be the the same if the decision were to be on the facts rather than on the law. The trust's efficiency on the day the acquittal of crime is rendered is shown by the fact that it is selling at prices lower than those of the independents. They are showing their virtue by taking all that the traffic will bear, while the Steel Corporation is showing wisdom and earning profits by not selling at the bottom nor at the top, but serenely regulating its charges in the manner its solidity allows, that is, by basing prices on costs. It is the weaker concerns that cut prices uneconomically and recoup by advances when the market allows.

The business education of Congress and the courts has been tedious and costly, but complete. It will be worth its cost if the lawmakers, law administrators and interpreters shall hereafter confine efforts to the punishment of misconduct rather than the teaching of business men how to do business.

## Topics In Brief

Much of the opposition to prohibition lies in the fear that 'Bacca will follow Bacchus.—*Philadelphia Evening Ledger.*

It is a good thing for United States Senators that they are paid by the year. They would starve to death on piecework.—*Dallas News.*

An exchange professor says that education has passed from a luxury to a necessity. Then nobody will want it.—*New York Evening Post.*

First thing you know the public will die of starvation, and then capital and labor will have had all their trouble for nothing.—*Kansas Industrialist.*

Why blame the ladies for being ahead of time in wearing their spring hats in January? We are wearing our next winter's hat now. *New York Evening Mail.*

We have received from Brentano's "The Wisdom of Woodrow Wilson." It is a small book which can be carried in a vest pocket.—Heywood Broun, *in the New York Tribune.*


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## Gas In Warfare An Old Device

**History Of Chemical Attack And Defense For 2,000 Years**

A recent issue of "Chemical Warfare," a magazine issued by the Chemical Warfare Service at Edgewood Arsenal, Edgewood, Maryland, tells of gas attacks in ancient days, thus showing that gas warfare is far from new, and that it is something that has been handed down from the fighters of many centuries ago.

The term "attack" suggests involuntarily the idea of battalions charging with lowered bayonets, or squadrons of cavalry rushing the enemy with brandished swords to force them back by the very weight of the impact. Our ideas of ancient warfare are of Greek phalanxes with leveled spears, Roman legions with their shields and broadswords, battering rams, catapults and scaling ladders.

But the ancients realised that there might be ways of overcoming enemy, stupefying him or killing him, not by mechanical but by chemical means, though the state of chemical knowledge at that time resulted in the majority of the ideas being worked out along the lines of fire and smoke, the fumes of burning toxic substances being used in an attempt to stifle or stupefy the defenders, or the use of an unquenchable fire to burn up his defensive works or the enemy himself.

The earliest known attempt to use gas as an offensive weapon was in the war between the Athenians and Spartans when, at the siege of Platae and Dehum, wood saturated with sulphur and pitch was burned under the walls of these cities in order to generate poisonous and choking fumes which would stupefy the defenders.

The next recorded use of chemical weapons was by Aeneas, about 360 B. C., who described fire compositions formed of various chemical substances to make them easily ignitable and hard to extinguish. They consisted of pitch, sulphur, incense and resinous woodchips. This compound was put into pots, which were thrown, burning, from besieged towns upon the "tortoise" or shelter under which the besiegers attempted to approach the walls.

Later on incendiary arrows came into use, being shot from a distance against wooden structures of the oppoment, in order to set them on fire. The incendiary arrows subsequently were enlarged, so that they were even shot from catapults. The incendiary arrows were called in the Roman Army "flaricae." They were provided behind the arrowhead with a perforated tube containing tow, rosin, sulphur and petroleum and were ignited just before being launched.

Chemical attack called for chemical defense. At first attempts were made to make incendiary arrows ineffective by throwing earth upon them. Subsequently cloths saturated with vinegar were found to be a better means, and then began the old competition between weapons of attack and weapons of defense. The question now was to find a chemical substance the flames of which could not be extinguished by the cloths saturated with vinegar thrown upon them.

It has been frequently asserted that one of the most famous means of chemical attack, the "Greek fire," was prepared with the use of saltpetre. It is said to have been invented by Kallinikos about 660, but was probably used at an earlier age, about the time of Constantine the Great, in the fourth century after Christ. Although it has never been explained for certain whether Greek fire contained saltpetre or not, its composition, as far as can be ascertained, shows that even at that early period very ingeniously devised chemical mixtures were used as weapons of attack, seeing that Greek fire contained not only readily inflammable substances such as pitch, rosin and petroleum, but also sulphur and quicklime.

If it was thrown upon water the quicklime, by being saturated with water, generated heat sufficient, to ignite the petroleum which, on its part, developed enough heat to ignite the other combustible substances. But the light hydrocarburets disengaged from the evaporating petroleum, more especially benzine, formed with air an explosive mixture. Thus, explosions took place and enormous clouds of smoke and soot were developed. The sulphur catching fire developed in its combustion a gas of very highly asphyxiating action (sulphurous gas) which rendered approach impossible, and served to expel the enemy from his position. It was very difficult to extinguish this fire, because water poured upon it only served to spread the petroleum and thus propagate the fire. Greek fire was still in use at the time of the Crusades in the thirteenth century, when it was employed by the Saracens against the Christians with the aid of various devices. Subsequently its secret was lost, but the idea still survives.

**FLAME PROJECTOR NOT NEW**

The flame projector, given great publicity, but in reality proving useless in the recent war, is an instrument which is not to be considered really new, as the ancient Greeks used it against the Saracens and the Saracens in turn used it against the Crusaders. Large syringes were used, after the style of a fire engine, the mouths having the shape of dragons and other monsters with wide open jaws. From these orifices Greek fire, or other burning liquids, especially petroleum, was propelled toward the enemy which usually fled terrified by the fire and stupefied by the poisonous gas.

During the Crimean war Admiral Lord Dundonald, who, with the exception of Lord Nelson, was one of the ablest commanders the British Navy ever had, submitted a plan for the reduction of Sebastopol by the use of four or five hundred tons of sulphur and about two thousand tons of coke. He believed that with the first favorable and steady wind he could vaporise the sulphur with the coke, and thus suffocate the garrison.

The English Government, although admitting that the plan was perfectly feasible, and would without doubt produce the reduction of the stronghold, would not allow it to be used, as the effects resulting from it were so horrible that no honorable combatant could inflict them.

In the war of 1812 forms of chemical or incendiary attack were used by boarding parties though no historical mention is made of those.

During the civil war, a number of attempts were made to subdue the enemy by chemical means. At the siege of Charleston, wood saturated with sulphur was burned under the parapets, in the hope of suffocating and smoking out the defenders. At another time shells were filled with a solution of sulphurated carbon and phosphorus. When these shells burst the solution poured over the buildings to be destroyed The carbon evaporated, the phosphorus ignited spontaneously on contact with the atmosphere and the fire soon ignited other combustible substances. Extinction was very difficult. This mode of chemical attack, however fell into disuse, because it was too dangerous for the attackers themselves.

One account of an ancient attempt to use chemical means in annoying the enemy described the use of several malodorous substances, especially the lacteous juice of the plant ferula asafetida which, in a dry state, spreads a very unpleasant smell. Balls were made by mixing the dried asafetida with starch and gum and these were thrown at the enemy. The effect was not particularly striking. In the first place the side using this substance had themselves to suffer by the smell and, secondly, it did not by any means prevent the enemy from advancing.

## Ban Wasp Waists

**American Women Too Active to Adopt Them,**

New York, March 1.—American women lead too active lives to adopt the wasp waist that Paris seems inclined to dictate, according to Mrs. M. L. Thompson, who is conducting a school for a corset company this week at the McAlpin Hotel for the corsetieres who handle their product. She says the time is past when the women of this country will allow themselves to be subjected to discomforts in the way of clothing, and that their greatest interest is that they have the proper corset for the proper occasion.

"Several models have been received from Paris showing the tight waist effect, and this has produced an unwarranted impression that the tight-fitting corset is to return. It is very doubtful that the French women will adopt this fashion if it changes the style of corset to be worn, and it is quite certain that the American women will never look upon the wasp waist kindly," said Mrs. Thompson. "The effect of these gowns can be gotten quite as well with the comfortable corsets that American women now favor by building the gowns out at the hips.

"The importance of the corset to the women's wardrobe is plainly shown in the ever increasing demand for them. The early part of 1919 showed an increase of 25,000 dozen in orders from the factory over the same period of 1918. The demand was so great and owing to the scarcity of labor our production was so curtailed that we were obliged to limit our customers for a long period of time. This increase in demand must be attributed to the growing fastidiousness in women. During the last few years there has undoubtedly been a change in view toward hygiene, Very few women are now willing to wear a corset more than a few weeks before it is thoroughly cleansed, and they insist upon several changes quite the same as the chemise or other articles of wearing apparel. She has learned that it is to her disadvantage to wear a corset until it becomes so soiled and mis-shappen that she cannot feel well groomed in it.

"Then, too, the smart women of today have corsets for each particular occasion. They demand a certain corset for sport wear, another for street costume, and quite a different model for evening wear. A customer now buys several of these different designs, selecting them as she does her gowns. Of course, the cost of production has greatly increased, and there has been much discussion about the high price of corsets, but the truth is that the women now demand more elaborate designs and the very best materials, quite ignoring the plainer models which are still to be had. The plain white model that was formerly our best seller is now replaced by corsets of various colors which have such a vogue. Artistry in corsets, both in color and design, is the object of the designer.

"About 175 women are attending the school, coming from all parts of the East. The merchants are beginning to realise more and more the importance of the corset to the well-dressed woman and are therefore giving it much more attention than ever before."

## Matutinale

Out of their delicate halls,
Builded of leafless bough,
Cloud maids peer wistfully
From the hill's brow,
Seeking I know not what
Lost mirth of Arcady,
From delicate halls
Cloud maids peer wistfully.

I think they mourn one day
When great dames spun the wool
While Homer sang to the Queen
Brave songs and beautiful;
When maids on the little hill
Danced—danced in the meadows so green,
One golden day
While Homer sang to the Queen.

Them light as thistledown,
As toys to the rainbow air,
Those maids tossed far from them
Earth's every care;
Earth's loves, less heeded than
The trod violet's fragile stem—
All light as thistledown
Those maids tossed far from them.

"And none since hath danced with us"
(The cloud maids seem to say),
"Even on May Morning.
When youth came ever gay
To the village green—true lovers all,
They danced as captives i' the jocund ring—
So none might dance with us,
Even on May Morning.

"Nor ladies we have seen
In gardens pace qualnt measures up and down;
Dressed for high festival
In cap of pearls and damask gown
Broidered with silver apples—how stiff with pride,
How sad and solemn went they all,
Fine ladies we have seen
Dressed for high festival.

"And daisies and buttercups
May lure steps so light,
Yet they bind them to the green earth
With chains of gold and white.
Little children dance most fleetly,
Yet they may not share our mirth
While buttercups and daisies
Hold them down to earth!"

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So from the delicate halls
I seem to hear lament
Made far off, wistfully;
Seeking for them that went
So light of old
Up pale green hills of Arcady,
From delicate halls,
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## THE CHINA PRESS MAIL SCHEDULE

SATURDAY, APRIL 17, 1920

| Date and Destination | Per | Chi. | Br. | USA | Rus. | Jap. | Reg |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| **TODAY** | | | | | | | |
| Swatow and Hongkong | Tean | .. | 9.00 | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Weihaiwei and Chefoo | Shuntien | 9.00 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 8.30 |
| W'wei, C'foo & T'tsin | Shuntien | .. | 9.00 | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| S'tow, H'kong & C'ton | Tean | 9.00 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 8.30 |
| United Kingdom, via Hongkong | Rhesus | .. | 17.00 | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| River Ports | Train & Str. | 21.00 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 21.00 |
| Vladivostok & Siberia | Via P. & H. | 17.00 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 17.00 |
| Chefoo | Hsinming | 21.00 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 21.00 |
| Chefoo | Toonan | 21.00 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 21.00 |
| Hongkong and Canton | Kwangtee | 21.00 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 21.00 |
| Japan & America via Moji | Chikugo M. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 8.00 | .. |
| Wenchow | Haean | 21.00 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 21.00 |
| Hankow | Wuchang | .. | 17.00 | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Chefoo | Hsinming | .. | 17.00 | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Chefoo | Toonan | .. | 17.00 | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Hongkong | Kwangtee | .. | 17.00 | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| V'stok and Siberia via Pukow & Harbin (Daily expect Sunday) | Train | | | .. | 17.00 | .. | 17.00 |
| Ningpo | Klangteen | .. | 15.00 | .. | .. | .. | |
| Tientsin | Train | .. | 17.00 | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Hankow | Train | .. | 17.00 | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Vladivostok | Train | .. | 17.00 | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| **TOMORROW** | | | | | | | |
| River Ports | Train & Str. | 21.00 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 21.00 |
| Japan via Kobe | Sado M. | 19.00 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 13.30 |
| Hongkong and Canton | Kwetlin | 10.00 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 8.30 |
| Hongkong | do | .. | 10.00 | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| U. S. A., Canada, Europe & N. Russia | M. Dollar | 17.00 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 16.30 |
| **Monday, April 19.** | | | | | | | |
| Hongkong and Canton | Shantung | 21.00 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 21.00 |
| Hongkong | Shantung | .. | 17.00 | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| S'tow, H'kong & C'ton | Kwongsang | 21.00 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 21.00 |
| Swatow & Hongkong | Kwongsang | .. | 17.00 | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Weihaiwei and Chefoo | Kingsing | 11.00 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 10.30 |
| W'wei, C'foo, and T'tsin | Kingsing | .. | 11.00 | .. | .. | .. | 10.30 |
| Vladivostok & Siberia | Via P. & H. | 17.00 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 17.00 |
| River Ports | Train & Str. | 21.00 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 21.00 |
| **Tuesday, April 20.** | | | | | | | |
| Weihaiwei and Chefoo | Fengtien | 14.00 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 13.30 |
| W'wei, C'foo and T'tsin | do | .. | 14.00 | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Japan & A'rica via N'saki | Kasuga Maru | .. | .. | .. | | 10.00 | 9.30 |
| H'kong, S. Ports, Straits N. Russia & Europe via Suez | Yokohama M. | 15.30 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 13.00 |
| Japan Ports | Kasuga Maru | 9.30 | 9.30 | .. | .. | .. | 9.00 |
| **Wednesday, April 21.** | | | | | | | |
| Amoy, H'kong & C'ton | Sinkiang | 21.00 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 21.00 |
| Amoy and Hongkong | Sinkiang | .. | 17.00 | .. | .. | .. | .. |

B Letters and boxes with declared value at 7:30 p.m. Parcels at 4 p.m. and money orders at 3 p.m.
E Registered articles at 3 p.m. on previous day.

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a.—at 21 for S. N. R. 23 o'clock train
b.—at 7 for S. N. R. 7:55 o'clock train
Mails closed by 7:55 train should reach Tientsin only 1 hour 35 minutes later than those closed for the previous night train.

## MEN OF WAR IN PORT

| Section | Date | Name | Flag and Rating |
|---|---|---|---|
| P. & O. B.I. | Mar. 28 | Alacrity | Br. gun-boat |
| KND | Apr. 1 | Fushimi | Jap. gun-boat |
| BXIII | Apr. 10 | Hawkins | Br. cruiser |
| 1 C. | Apr. 7 | Hertog Hendrick | Dut. cruiser |
| B.N.B. | Mar. 26 | Kinsha | Br. gun-boat |
| S'chow Creek | Oct. 29 | M. A. S. 226 | Ital. sub-chaser |
| S'chow Creek | Oct. 29 | M. A. S. 227 | Ital. sub-chaser |
| 1 C. | Apr. 1 | Monocacy | Am. gun-boat |
| T.P.D.W. | Apr. 7 | Scarab | Br. gunboat |
| 1 C. | Apr. 7 | Tromp | Dut. cruiser |


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### For River Ports

**HANKOW & PORTS.**—The Co.'s Str. **Tachang Maru**, Captain G. Kawamura, will be despatched from N.K.K. Pootung Wharf on **Saturday, April 17**, at about 12 o'clock midnight. For Freight and Passage apply to **THE NISSHIN KISEN KAISHA.** No. 16, Canton Road

**HANKOW & PORTS.**—The China Navigation Co.'s Steamer **Wuchang**, Captain Pickard, will leave on **Saturday, April 17**, at about 12 o'clock midnight. For Freight apply to **BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE**, Agents. Tel. No. 77.

**HANKOW & PORTS.**—The Indo-China S. N. Co.'s S.S. **Waishing** 1,864 Tons, Captain Christie, will sail for the abovementioned ports from Hunt's Wharf on **Saturday, April 17**, at about midnight. For Freight or Passage, apply to **JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Ltd.**, General Managers. Tel. C. 241. Extension to Freight and Passage Department. Outside Office Hours Central 250.

**HANKOW & PORTS.**—The Str. **Kianghsin**, Capt. J. R. Milligan, will leave on **Sunday** night. For Freight or Passage apply to **C.M.S.N. Co.**

**PUKOW.**—The China Navigation Co.'s Steamer **Ichang**, Captain J. S. De Wolf, will leave on **Monday, April 19**, at daylight. For Freight or Passage, apply to **BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE**, Agents. Tel. No. 77.

**HANKOW & PORTS.**—The Co.'s Str. **Siangyang Maru**, Capt. J. A. Scott, will be despatched from N.Y.K. Mail Wharf on **Monday, April 19**, at about 12 o'clock midnight. For Freight and Passage apply to **THE NISSHIN KISEN KAISHA.** No. 16, Canton Road.

**HANKOW & PORTS.**—The Indo-China S. N. Co.'s S.S. **Kutwo**, 2,664 Tons, Captain Gibb, will sail for the abovementioned ports from Hunt's Wharf on **Monday, April 19**, at about midnight. For Freight or Passage, apply to **JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Ltd.**, General Managers. Tel. C. 241. Extension to Freight and Passage Department. Outside Office Hours Central 250.

**HANKOW & PORTS.**—The China Navigation Co.'s Steamer **Luenyi**, Captain Frazier, will leave from the French Bund on **Monday, April 19**, at about 12 o'clock midnight. For Freight or Passage, apply to **BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE**, Agent French Bund. Freight Tel. No. 77, Passage Tel. 401.

**HANKOW & PORTS.**—The Indo-China S. N. Co.'s S.S. **Tuckwo**, 3,770 Tons, Captain Campbell, will sail for the abovementioned ports from Hunt's Wharf on **Tuesday, April 20**, at about midnight. For Freight or Passage, apply to **JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Ltd.**, General Managers. Tel. C. 241. Extension to Freight and Passage Department. After Office Hours Central 250.

**HANKOW & PORTS.**—The China Navigation Co.'s Steamer **Woosung**, Captain Meathrel, will leave from the French Bund on **Tuesday, April 20**, at about 12 o'clock midnight. For Freight or Passage, apply to **BUTTERFILED & SWIRE**, Agents French Bund. Freight Tel. No. 77, Passage Tel. No. 401.

**HANKOW & PORTS.**—The China Navigation Co.'s Steamer **Ngankin**, Captain J. Cudney, will leave from the French Bund on **Wednesday, April 21**, at about 12 o'clock midnight. For Freight or Passage, apply to **BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE**, Agents French Bund. Freight Tel. No. 77, Passage Tel. No. 401.

**HANKOW & PORTS.**—The China Navigation Co.'s Steamer **Hsin Peking**, Captain A. E. Edward, will leave on Monday, April 19, at 4:30 p.m. For Freight or Passage apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents French Bund. Freight Tel. No. 77, Passage Tel. No. 401.

### For Southern Ports

**SWATOW, HONGKONG AND CANTON.**—The China Navigation Co.'s Steamer **Tean**, Captain Wm. McDonald, will leave from the French Bund on **Saturday, April 17**, at 10 a.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to **BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE**, Agents French Bund. Freight Tel. No. 77, Passage Tel. No. 401.

**NINGPO.**—The Str. **Kiangteen**, Captain D. D. Ross, will leave on Saturday at 3:30 p.m. For Freight or Passage apply to **C.M.S.N. Co.**

**WENCHOW.**—The Str. **Hacan**, Capt. F. H. Wallace, will leave on **Sunday** morning. For Freight or Passage apply to **C.M.S.N. Co.**

**HONGKONG & CANTON.**—The Str. **Kwanglee**, Capt. A. P. Sangster, will leave on Sunday morning. For Freight or Passage apply to **C.M.S.N. Co.**

**HONGKONG & CANTON.**—The China Navigation Co.'s Steamer **Kweilin**, Captain A. McDowell, will leave on **Sunday, April 18**, at 11 a.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to **BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE**, Agents. Tel. No. 77.

**NINGPO.**—The China Navigation Co.'s Steamer **Hsin Peking**, Captain A. E. Edward, will leave on Monday, April 19, at 4:30 p.m. For Freight or Passage apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents French Bund. Freight Tel. No. 77, Passage Tel. No. 401.

**HONGKONG & CANTON.**—The China Navigation Co.'s Str. **Fengtien**, Captain H. A. Walker, will leave from the French Bund on **Saturday, April 17**, at 10 a.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to **BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE**, Agents. French Bund. Freight Telephone No. 77 Passage Telephone No. 401.

**CHINWANGTAO Direct.**—The Kailan Mining Administration, will despatch the S.S. **Upolu** on **April 17.** For Freight apply to Agent, 1 Jinkee Road, Tel. Central 1114.

**TSINGTAO.**—The China Navigation Co.'s Str. **Yingchow**, Captain A. V. Harrison, will leave from the Watung Wharf on **Saturday, April 17**, at 10 a.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to **BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE**, Agents French Bund. Freight Tel. No. 77, Passage Tel. No. 401.

**TAKAO (FORMOSA) Via FOOCHOW & KEELUNG.**—The Str. **Suma Maru**, Captain Y. Fukami, will be despatched from the Co.'s Y'poo wharf on **April 27.** For Freight and Passage, please apply to **THE OSAKA SHOSEN KAISHA** No. 4, The Bund. Tel. Central No. 4234 & 4235.

**TAKAO (FORMOSA) Via FOOCHOW & KEELUNG.**—The Str. **Kohoku Maru**, Captain M. Tsubaki, will be despatched from the Co.'s Y'poo wharf on **April 29.** For Freight and Passage, please apply to **THE OSAKA SHOEN KAISHA**, No. 4, The Bund. Tel. Central No. 4234 & 4235.

### For Northern Ports

**WEIHAIWEI, CHEFOO AND TIENTSIN.**—The China Navigation Co.'s Steamer **Fengtien**, Captain McIntoch, will leave from the French Bund on **Tuesday, April 20**, at 3 p.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to **BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE**, Agents French Bund. Freight Tel. No. 77, Passage Tel. No. 401.

**TIENTSIN direct.**—The s.s. **Kwangping**, Captain Budgen, will clear at 4 p.m. on **Tuesday, April 20**, and leave for the above ports on **Wednesday, April 21.** For Freight or Passage, apply to **KAILAN MINING ADMINISTRATION.** 1 Jinkee Road. Tel. Central 1114.

**WEIHAIWEI, CHEFOO AND TIENTSIN.**—The China Navigation Co.'s Steamer **Chekiang**, Captain E. L. Jones, will elave on **Thursday, April 22**, at 10 a.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to **BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE**, Agents. Tel. No. 77.

**TIENTSIN & DAIREN via TSINGTAU.**—The Str. **Keelung Maru**, Capt. Y. Fukami, will be despatched from the Co.'s Y'poo wharf on **April 28.** For Freight and Passage, please apply to **THE OSAKA SHOSEN KAISHA**, No. 4, The Bund. Tel. Cen. 4234 & 4235.

### For Foreign Ports

**TACOMA & Seattle Calling at Victoria B. C. via Kobe, Yokkaichi, Shimidzu, & Yokohama.**—The O.S.K. Str. **Manila Maru**, Capt. H. Yamaguchi, will be despatched on **April 28.** For Freight or Passage, please apply to **THE OSAKA SHOSEN KAISHA**, No. 4, The Bund. Tel. No. 4234 & 4235.

**EUROPE via Hongkong, Singapore, Colombo, Portsaid, Marseilles, London, Antwerp, Rotterdam & Hamburg.**—The Steamer **Havana Maru**, Capt. S. Imai, will be despatched from the Co.'s No. 9 Buoy on **May 1.** For Freight please apply to **THE OSAKA SHOSEN KAISA**, No. 4, The Bund. Tel. Central No. 4234 & 4235.

**NEW YORK, JAPAN PORTS SAN FRANCISCO PANAMA and NEW YORK.**—The Str. **Alaska Maru**, Captain W. Miura, will be despatched from Shanghai on or about **June 1**, at ——— For Freight please apply to **THE OSAKA SHOSEN KAISHA**, No. 4. The Bund. Telphone Central No. 4234 & 4235.

## Future Sailings

### FOR AMERICA AND CANADA

| Date | Time | Destination | Ship's Name | Flag | Agents |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Apr. 17 | — | Vancouver | Methven | Br. | C.P.O.S. |
| Apr. 17 | — | Seattle, etc. | Katori Maru | Jap. | N. Y. K. |
| Apr. 18 | — | Vancouver | Melville Dollar | Br. | Dollar Co. |
| Apr. 20 | — | New York | Genoa Maru | Jap. | N.Y.K. |
| Apr. 20 | — | New York, Boston | Dryden | Am. | Adl. Line |
| Apr. 20 | — | Seattle | West Ivan | Am. | A. T. Co. |
| Apr. 20 | — | Baltimore v. M'nean | West Kasson | Am. | P.M.S.S. Co |
| Apr. 23 | — | San Francisco | West Niger | Am. | P.M.S.S. Co |
| Apr. 24 | — | San Francisco | Colombia | Am. | P.M.S.S. Co. |
| Apr. 24 | — | New York | C. of Colombo | Br. | B. & S. |
| Apr. 26 | — | Vancouver | Harold Dollar | Br. | Dollar Co. |
| Apr. 27 | — | San Francisco | Higho | Am. | Dollar Co. |
| May 3 | — | New York, Boston | Radnor | Am. | Adl. Line |
| May 3 | — | New York | Tsuyama M. | Jap. | N.Y.K. |
| May 3 | — | San Francisco | West Elcajon | Am. | Adl. Line |
| May 4 | — | San Francisco | West Inskip | Am. | P.M.S.S. Co |
| May 4 | — | New Orleans | West Hembrie | Am. | S. & Dix |
| May 4 | — | Baltimore v. Panama | West Moreland | Am. | S. & Dix |
| May 5 | — | Los Angeles | West Hemrod | Am. | L.A.P.N. Co. |
| May 6 | — | San Francisco | Korea Maru | Jap. | T.K.K. |
| May 6 | — | Seattle, etc. | Suwa Maru | Jap. | N.Y.K. |
| May 7 | — | New York | Tuscan Prince | Br. | S. Tomes & Co. |
| May 8 | — | Portland | Coaxet | Am. | Adl. Line |
| May 10 | — | San Francisco | West Cadron | Am. | Dollar Co. |
| May 10 | — | Seattle | C. of Spokane | Am. | Adl. Line |
| May 11 | — | San Francisco | Elkhorn | Am. | S. & Dix |
| May 15 | — | Seattle | Brave Couer | Am. | S. & Dix |
| May 18 | — | San Francisco | Nile | Am. | C.M.S.N. Co. |
| May 19 | — | Seattle | West Jester | Am. | A. T. Co. |
| May 19 | — | Baltimore | Eurana | Am. | S. & Dix. |
| May 21 | — | New York | Eurymachus | Br. | B. & S. |
| May 22 | — | San Francisco | China | Am. | C.M.S.S. Co. |
| May 22 | — | San Francisco | Venezuela | Am. | P.M.S.S. C |
| May 22 | — | Seattle | Edmore | Am. | Adl. Line |
| May 23 | — | San Francisco | West Hepburn | Am. | Dollar Co. |
| May 25 | — | San Francisco | West Cahokia | Am. | S. & Dix |
| May 25 | — | San Francisco | West Himrod | Am. | S. & Dix |
| May 29 | — | Vancouver | E. of Japan | Br. | C.P.O.S. |
| May 30 | — | Seattle | West Ivis | Am. | S. & Dix |
| May 30 | — | Baltimore v. M'nean | West Boro | Am. | P.M.S.S. Co. |
| May 30 | — | N. Y. v. Vancouver | M. S. Dollar | Br. | Dollar Co |
| May 30 | — | San Francisco | Tenyo Maru | Jap. | T. K. K. |
| May 31 | — | New York | Howick Hall | Br. | B. & S. |
| June 4 | — | New Orleans | Editor | Am. | S. & Dix |
| June 5 | — | Vancouver | E. of Asia | Br. | C.P.O.S. |
| June 5 | — | San Francisco | Nanking | Am. | C.M.S.S. Co. |
| June 10 | — | Vancouver | Montcastle | Br. | C.P.O.S. |
| June 15 | — | Seattle | Stanley | Am. | A. T. Co. |
| June 17 | — | Vancouver, N. Y. | Hessie Dollar | Br. | Dollar Co. |
| June 19 | — | San Francisco | Ecuador | Am. | P.M.S.S. Co |
| June 20 | — | San Francisco | Shinyo Maru | Jap. | T. K. K. |
| July 12 | — | Seattle | Maquan | Am. | A. T. Co. |

### FOR JAPAN PORTS

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| Apr. 17 | — | Moji, Kobe, Osaka | Chikugo Maru | Jap. | N. Y. K. |
| Apr. 19 | — | Kobe | Sado Maru | Jap. | N.Y.K. |
| Apr. 20 | — | N'saki, Kobe, Y'hama | Kasuga Maru | Jap. | N. Y. K. |
| Apr. 21 | — | Moji, Kobe, Osaka | Kumano Maru | Jap. | N.Y.K. |
| Apr. 24 | — | Moji, Kobe, Osaka | Yawata Maru | Jap. | N.Y.K. |
| Apr. 27 | — | N'saki, Kobe, Y'hama | Yamashiro M. | Jap. | N.Y.K. |
| Apr. 27 | — | Kobe | Muttra | Br. | M. M. & Co. |
| Apr 28 | — | Moji, Kobe, Osaka | Omi Maru | Jap. | N.Y.K. |
| Apr. 30 | — | N'saki, Kobe, Y'hama | Kokura Maru | Jap. | N.Y.K. |

### FOR EUROPE, INDIA, STRAITS, ETC.

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| Apr. 18 | — | A'dam, L'don, A'erp | Rhesus | Br. | B. & S. |
| Apr. 21 | — | London | Professor | Br. | G. L. E. A. |
| Apr. 21 | — | London | Yokohama M. | Jap. | N.Y.K. |
| Apr. 22 | — | Genoa, M'lles, L'pool | Ajax | Br. | B. & S. |
| Apr. 22 | — | A'dam, L'don, A'erp | Mentor | Br. | B. & S. |
| Apr. 23 | 4.00 | Marseilles | Andre Lebon | Fr. | M. M. Cie |
| Apr. 23 | — | Trieste | Innsbruck | Ital. | Lod. & Co. |
| Apr. 25 | — | London | C. of Norwith | Br. | J.M. & Co. |
| Apr. 25 | — | London | Glenliffer | Br. | G. L. E. A. |
| Apr. 26 | — | London | Tamba Maru | Jap. | N.Y.K. |
| Apr. 27 | — | Calcutta | Muttra | Br. | M.M. & Co. |
| Apr. 30 | — | Liverpool | Wakasa M. | Jap. | N.Y.K. |
| May 1 | — | Marseilles | Armand Behic | Fr. | M. M. Cie |
| May 5 | — | London | Kazembe | Br. | J. M. & Co. |
| May 6 | — | Liverpool | Keemun | Br. | B. & S. |
| May 6 | — | A'dam, L'don, H'burg | Stentor | Br. | B. & S. |
| May 6 | — | London | Nore | Br. | M. M. & Co. |
| May 13 | — | Liverpool | Idomeneus | Br. | B. & S. |
| May 15 | — | R'dam, Hamburg | Tjitaroem | Dut. | H. C. T. Co. |
| May 15 | — | Java | Tjiliwong | Dut. | H. C. T. Co. |
| May 18 | — | London | Novara | Br. | M. M. & Co. |
| May 20 | — | A'dam, L'don, A'erp | Telemachus | Br. | B. & S. |
| May 20 | — | Scandinavia | Siam | Dan. | E.A. Co. |
| May 20 | — | Liverpool | Priam | Br. | B. & S. |
| May 22 | — | London | Glenade | Br. | G. L. E. A. |
| May 27 | — | L'don, A'dam, A'werp | Teiresias | Br. | B. & S. |
| June 3 | — | L'don, A'dam, H'burg | Nelens | Br. | B. & S. |
| June 1 | — | Marseilles | Cardiliere | Fr. | M. M. Cie |
| June 6 | — | Scandinavia | Asia | Dan. | E. A. Co. |
| June 17 | — | L'don, A'ham, A'werp | Deucalion | Br. | B. & S. |
| June 24 | — | Genoa, M'lles, L'pool | Talthyblus | Br. | B. & S. |
| June 30 | — | Marseilles | Porthos | Fr. | M. M. Cie |
| July 1 | — | L. A'dam, H'burg | Helenus | Br. | B. & S. |
| July 11 | — | Marseilles | Amazone | Fr. | M. M. Cie |

### FOR SOUTHERN PORTS

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Apr. 17 | 4.00 | Ningpo | Kiangteen | Chi. | C.M.S.N. Co |
| Apr. 17 | 10.00* | S'tow, H'kong, C'ton | Tean | Br. | B. & S. |
| Apr. 18 | — | Hongkong, Canton | Kwanglee | Chi. | C.M.S.N. Co |
| Apr. 18 | — | Wenchow | Hacan | Chi. | C.M.S.N. Co. |
| Apr. 18 | 11.00* | Hongkong, Canton | Kweilin | Br. | B. & S. |
| Apr. 19 | 4.30 | Ningpo | Hsin Peking | Br. | B. & S. |
| Apr. 19 | 4.30 | Ningpo | Hsin Ningahao | Chi. | N.S.S.N. Co. |
| Apr. 20 | D.L. | Hongkong, Canton | Shantung | Br. | B. & S. |
| Apr. 20 | D.L. | S'tow, H'kong, C'ton | Kwongsang | Br. | J.M. & Co. |
| Apr. 22 | D.L. | S'tow, H'kong, C'ton | Hangsang | Br. | J. M. & Co. |
| Apr. 22 | D.L. | Amoy, H'kong, C'ton | Sinklang | Br. | B. & S. |
| Apr. 26 | — | Manila, Hongkong | E. of Russia | Br. | C.P.O.S. |
| May 1 | — | Manila, Hongkong | Venezuela | Am. | P.M.S.S. Co. |
| May 5 | — | Hongkong | Nile | Am. | C.M.S.S. Co |

### FOR NORTHERN PORTS

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| Apr. 17 | 10.00* | Tsingtau | Yingchow | Br. | B. & S. |
| Apr. 17 | 10.00* | W'wei, C'foo, T'tsin | Shuntien | Br. | B. & S. |
| Apr. 17 | — | Chinwangtao | Upolu | Br. | K.M.A. |
| Apr. 18 | 11.00* | Antung | Henrik | Br. | B. & S. |
| Apr. 18 | — | Chefoo, Tientsin | Hsinming | Chi. | C.M.S.N. Co |
| Apr. 18 | — | Chefoo, Newchwang | Toonan | Chi. | C.M.S.N. Co |
| Apr. 18 | 11.00* | Newchwang | Kwangse | Br. | B. & S |
| Apr. 19 | noon | W'wei, C'foo, T'tsin | Kingsing | Br. | J. M. & Co. |
| Apr. 20 | 3.00 | W'wei, C'foo, T'tsin | Fengtien | Br. | B. & S. |
| Apr. 20 | noon | Dairen | Sakaki Maru | Jap. | S.M.R. |
| Apr. 21 | — | Tientsin | Kwangping | Br. | K.M.A. |
| Apr. 22 | noon | W'wei, C'foo, T'tsin | Chekiang | Br. | B. & S. |
| Apr. 23 | — | T'tsin, D'ren, T'tau | Keelung Maru | Jap. | O. S. K. |
| Apr. 23 | 1.30 | Tsingtau, Dairen | Kobe Maru | Jap. | S.M.R. |

### FOR RIVER PORTS

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Apr. 17 | M.N. | Hankow, etc. | Wuchang | Br. | B. & S. |
| Apr. 17 | M.N. | Hankow, etc. | Tachang Maru | Jap. | N. K. K. |
| Apr. 17 | M.N. | Hankow, etc. | Waishing | Br. | J.M. & Co. |
| Apr. 17 | — | Wuhu | Wuhu | Br. | B. & S. |
| Apr. 18 | M.N. | Hankow, etc. | Kianghsin | Chi. | C.M.S.N. Co. |
| Apr. 19 | M.N. | Hankow, etc. | Kutwo | Br. | J. M. & Co. |
| Apr. 19 | D.L. | Wuhu | Choysang | Br. | J. M. & Co. |
| Apr. 19 | D.L. | Pukow | Ichang | Br. | B. & S. |
| Apr. 19 | M.N. | Hankow, etc. | Siangyang M. | Jap. | N. K. K. |
| Apr. 19 | M.N. | Hankow, etc. | Luenyi | Br. | B. & S. |
| Apr. 20 | M.N. | Hankow, etc. | Tuckwo | Br. | J.M. & Co. |
| Apr. 20 | M.N. | Hankow, etc. | Tafoo Maru | Jap. | N. K. K. |
| Apr. 21 | M.N. | Hankow, etc. | Woosung | Br. | B. & S. |
| Apr. 21 | M.N. | Hankow, etc. | Ngankin | Br. | B. & S. |
| Apr. 22 | M.N. | Hankow, etc. | Kiangfoo | Chi. | C.M.S.N. Co |
| Apr. 22 | M.N. | Hankow, etc. | Kianghsin | Chi. | C.M.S.N. Co |
| Apr. 23 | M.N. | Hankow, etc. | Hwahlee | Chi. | J.M. & Co. |
| Apr. 23 | M.N. | Hankow, etc. | Suiyang Maru | Jap. | N. K. K. |
| Apr. 22 | M.N. | Hankow, etc. | Hsinfung | Chi. | C.M.S.N. Co. |
| Apr. 23 | M.N. | Hankow, etc. | Loongwo | Br. | J.M. & Co. |
| Apr. 23 | M.N. | Hankow, etc. | Shengking | Br. | B. & S. |
| Apr. 23 | M.N. | Hankow, etc. | Fengyang Maru | Jap. | N. K. K. |
| Apr. 23 | M.N. | Hankow, etc. | Chungking | Br. | B. & S. |
| Apr. 24 | M.N. | Hankow, etc. | | | |

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|---|---|---|---|
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|---|---|---|---|
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| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
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| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
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| YAMASHIRO MARU | 7,000 | Capt. T. Terada, | April 27 |
| KOKURA MARU .. | 4,500 | Capt. S. Ito, | April 30 |

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| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
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| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| CHIKUGO MARU .. | 5,000 | Capt. T. Kusano, | April 17 |
| KUMANO MARU ... | 9,500 | Capt. S. Sasaki, | April 21 |
| YAWATA MARU .... | 7,000 | Capt. G. Shinomiya, | April 24 |
| OMI MARU ..... | 7,000 | Capt. S. Kishimoto, | April 28 |

**FOR HONGKONG**

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| KASHIMA MARU .. | 19,000 | Capt. R. Tozawa, | May 7 |

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| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
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|---|---|---|---|
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|---|---|---|
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|---|---|---|---|
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| Brave Couer† | Apr. — | Brave Couer† | May 15 |
| West Ivis† | Apr. — | West Himrod* | May 25 |
| West Himrod* | Apr. 25 | West Cahokia* | May 25 |
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|---|---|---|---|
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| West Hembrie† | April 30 | West Hembrie† | May 4 |
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| Date | | From | Ship's Name | Flag | Agents |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Dec. | 2 | — Japan | Taiho Maru | Jap. | |
| Dec. | 2 | — | Meichuen | Am. | Socony |
| Dec. | 4 | — River ports | Lingyun | Chi. | S.P.S.N. Co. |
| Dec. | 6 | — Chinwangtao | Indigirka | | |
| Dec. | 16 | — Hankow | Meitan | Am. | Socony. |
| Dec. | 25 | — | Kanling | Chi. | |
| Dec. | 25 | — | Newchow | | |
| Jan. | 16 | — | Meihu | Am. | Socony. |
| Jan. | 21 | — Japan | Kifune Maru | Jap. | M.B.K. |
| Feb. | 5 | — Cruise | Store Nordiske | Dan. | G.N.T. Co. |
| Feb. | 15 | — River ports | Tahchuen | Chi. | S.P.S.N. Co. |
| Mar. | 6 | — Wuhu | Simferopol | Br. | |
| Mar. | 15 | — Japan | Shinsei Maru | Jap. | |
| Mar. | 19 | — Japan | Kiyo Maru | Jap. | Kaiyosha |
| Mar. | 22 | — | Chienan | Chi. | W. & Co. |
| Mar. | 22 | — Swatow | Cuzco | Ital. | S. & Dix. |
| Mar. | 24 | — | Astrakan | Br. | A.P. Co. |
| Mar. | 26 | — Japan | Tungus | Rus. | S. H. & Co. |
| Apr. | 1 | — Taingtau | Shinfoo | Chi. | S.P.S.N. Co. |
| Apr. | 9 | — River ports | Fengyang Maru | Jap. | N.K.K. |
| Apr. | 10 | — Cruise | Lekin | Chi. | Customs |
| Apr. | 10 | — River ports | Hwahlee | Chi. | J.M. & Co. |
| Apr. | 11 | — Liverpool | Rhesus | Br. | B. & S. |
| Apr. | 12 | — Hankow | Tsaangtah 2 | Am. | C.I. & E.L. Co. |
| Apr. | 14 | — Hongkong | Kwanglee | Chi. | C.M.S.N. Co. |
| Apr. | 14 | — Hongkong | Andrew Jackson | Am. | Adl. Line |
| Apr. | 14 | — ..... | Palembang | Br. | A.P. Co. |
| Apr. | 14 | — Hongkong | Yueyingwa | Chi. | W. & Co. |
| Apr. | 14 | — Antung | Kwelin | Br. | B. & S. |
| Apr. | 14 | — Hongkong | Yingchow | Br. | B. & S. |
| Apr. | 14 | — Hankow | Tsaangtah | Br. | C.I. & E.L. Co. |
| Apr. | 14 | — Hankow | Kaitau Maru | Jap. | M. S. K. |
| Apr. | 14 | — Tientsin | Shuntien | Br. | B. & S. |
| Apr. | 14 | — Tsingtau | Teli | Chi. | S.P.S.N. Co. |
| Apr. | 15 | — Seattle | West Segovia | Am. | S. & Dix. |
| Apr. | 15 | — Hongkong | Tungshing | Chi. | S.P.S.N. Co. |
| Apr. | 15 | — Foochow | Chunlee | Chi. | W. & Co. |
| Apr. | 15 | — Japan | Kaijo Maru | Jap. | M.B.K. |
| Apr. | 15 | — River ports | Suiwo | Br. | J.M. & Co. |
| Apr. | 15 | — River ports | Tatung | Br. | B. & S. |
| Apr. | 15 | — River ports | Yohyang Maru | Jap. | N.K.K. |
| Apr. | 15 | — Tsingtau | Tean | Br. | B. & S. |
| Apr. | 15 | — Chinwangtao | Upolu | Br. | K.M.A. |
| Apr. | 16 | — Wenchow | Hsean | Chi. | C.M.S.N. Co. |
| Apr. | 16 | — Hongkong | Katori Maru | Jap. | N.Y.K. |
| Apr. | 16 | — Hongkong | Allinga | | |
| Apr. | 16 | — Cruise | Chuentiao | Chi. | Customs |
| Apr. | 16 | — Foochow | Yungshin | Chi. | N.S.S.N. Co. |
| Apr. | 16 | — Newchwang | Toonan | Chi. | C.M.S.N. Co. |
| Apr. | 16 | — Hongkong | Pawlet | Am. | Adl. Line |
| Apr. | 16 | — | C. of Norwich | Br. | J.M. & Co. |
| Apr. | 16 | — River ports | Ningshao | Chi. | N.S.S.N. Co. |
| Apr. | 16 | — River ports | Wuchang | Br. | B. & S. |
| Apr. | 16 | — River ports | Waishing | Br. | J. M. & Co. |
| Apr. | 16 | — River ports | Tachang Maru | Jap. | N.K.K. |
| Apr. | 16 | — Tientsin | Hsinming | Chi. | C.M.S.N. Co. |
| Apr. | 16 | — Tientsin | Kingsing | Br. | J. M. & Co. |
| Apr. | 16 | — Portland | Coaxet | Am. | Adl. Line |

## Arrivals

| Date | | From | Ships Name | Flag | Agents |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Apr. | 16 | — Ningpo | Hsin Ningshao | Chi. | N.S.S.N. Co. |
| Apr. | 16 | — Ningpo | Hsin Peking | Br. | B. & S. |
| Apr. | 16 | — Wenchow | Hsean | Chi. | C.M.S.N. Co. |
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| Apr. | 16 | — Hankow | Shikano M. | Jap. | M.B.K. |
| Apr. | 16 | — Dairen | Kobe Maru | Jap. | S. M. R. Co. |
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## Information For Mariners

SATURDAY, APRIL 17, 1920

**High Water at Woosung Bar**
(The morning tides are higher than the evening tides, they are equal at noon and midnight).
Approximate rise, at springs 4 1/4 h; at neaps, 5 h.
fall, at springs 8 1/4 h; at neaps, 7 1/2 h.

| A.M. Time | A.M. Range | P.M. Time | P.M. Range |
|---|---|---|---|
| 11h. 15m. | 8ft. 2in. | 11h. 33m. | 9ft. 4in |

**High Water at Tungsha Lightship**
(The morning tides are higher than the evening tides).
Approximate rise, 5 1/2 h; approximate fall, 7 h.

| A.M. H | A.M. M | P.M. H | P.M. M |
|---|---|---|---|
| 10 | 9 | 10 | 29 |

**Time of Moonrise, Moonset, Sunrise, Sunset**

| Moon Rises | Moon Sets | Sun Rises | Sun Sets | Daylight | Dark |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 4 6 a.m. | 4 57 p.m. | 5h. 34m. | 6h. 27m. | 4h. 49m. | 7h. 12m. |

**Mean Barometric Pressure at Shanghai**
For April 30.00 in.
76.20 mm.

### Vessels Due

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Andre Lebon, *Japan* | Apr. | 21 |
| Chekiang, *Tientsin* | Apr. | 17 |
| Chenan, *Hongkong* | Apr. | 22 |
| Chungking, *Hankow* | Apr. | 23 |
| Colombia, *Hongkong* | Apr. | 24 |
| Delight, *Seattle* | Apr. | 20 |
| Fengtien, *Tientsin* | Apr. | 18 |
| Feiching, *Foochow* | Apr. | 19 |
| Hangsang, *Hongkong* | Apr. | 19 |
| Hsinpeking, *Ningpo* | Apr. | 18 |
| Hwahlee, *Hankow* | Apr. | 21 |
| Hsinfung, *Hankow* | Apr. | 22 |
| Ichang, *Hongkong* | Apr. | 17 |
| Kasuga Maru, *Japan* | Apr. | 17 |
| Kobe Maru, *Dairen* | Apr. | 22 |
| Kianghsin, *Hankow* | Apr. | 20 |
| Kwongsang, *Hongkong* | Apr. | 17 |
| Kiangyu, *Hankow* | Apr. | 17 |
| Kutwo, *Hankow*, | Apr. | 17 |
| Kiangteen, *Ningpo* | Apr. | 17 |
| Kumano Maru, *Japan* | Apr. | 18 |
| Kiangwah, *Hankow* | Apr. | 24 |
| Kiangyung, *Hankow* | Apr. | 23 |
| Luenho, *Hankow* | Apr. | 24 |
| Luenyi, *Hankow* | Apr. | 18 |
| Loongwo, *Hankow* | Apr. | 22 |
| Ngankin, *Hankow* | Apr. | 21 |
| Poyang, *Hankow* | Apr. | 17 |
| Sakaki Maru, *Dairen* | Apr. | 19 |
| Sinkiang, *Hongkong* | Apr. | 19 |
| Sado Maru, *London* | Apr. | 18 |
| Shengking, *Hankow* | Apr. | 22 |
| Simbirsk, *Vladivostok* | Apr. | 19 |
| Suiyang, *Hongkong* | Apr. | 24 |
| Telemachus, *Liverpool* | Apr. | 17 |
| Tuckwo, *Hankow* | Apr. | 18 |
| Tungchow, *Tientsin* | Apr. | 21 |
| West Segovia, *Seattle* | Apr. | 17 |
| Woosung, *Hankow* | Apr. | 19 |
| Wakanoura Maru, *Japan* | Apr. | 22 |
| Yawata Maru, *Japan* | Apr. | 21 |
| Yokohama Maru, *Japan* | Apr. | 19 |

### Siccawei Weather Reports

15.—Three depressions: a narrow one developing in W. Chekiang, the second one W of Vladivostok, the third one, that of the Loochoos, travelling towards E Japan. Breezes very variable between these centers. Weather overcast or rainy all over China. Irkust reports that the river Angara is free of ice since the 13th instant.

16.—Weather overcast but improved. The pressure has ceased falling. The breeze has shifted end for end to WNW.

### *Shipping Items*

The I-C. s.s. Kwongsang is expected to arrive in Shanghai from Canton, Hongkong and Swatow today.

The C.M. s.s. Kiangyu left Hankow for Shanghai on Wednesday.

The I-C. s.s. Kutwo left Hankow for Shanghai on Wednesday.

The C.N. s.s. Poyang left Hankow for Shanghai on Wednesday.

The N.Y.K. s.s. Siangyang Maru left Hankow for Shanghai on Wednesday.

The M.M. freighter Lieut. de la Tour is expected to arrive at Singapore on April 30 and in Shanghai on May 12.

The I-C. s.s. Tuckwo left Hankow for Shanghai on Thursday.

The C.N. s.s. Luenyi left Hankow for Shanghai on Thursday.

The N.K.K. s.s. Tafoo Maru left Hankow for Shanghai on Thursday.

The C.N. s.s. Sinkiang left Hongkong for Shanghai on Thursday.

The C.N. s.s. Fengtien left Tientsin for Chefoo, Weihaiwei and Shanghai on Thursday.

The C.M. s.s. Kiangfoo left Hankow for Shanghai yesterday.

The C.N. s.s. Woosung left Hankow for Shanghai yesterday.

The C.M. s.s. Feiching will leave Foochow for Shanghai today.

The C.M. s.s. Kianghsin will leave Hankow for Shanghai today.

The N.K.K. s.s. Suiyang Maru will leave Hankow for Shanghai today.

The C.N. s.s. Shantung will leave Pukow for Shanghai today.

The I-C. s.s. Hangsang is expected to arrive in Shanghai from Canton, Hongkong and Swatow on Monday.

The N.Y.K. s.s. Kasuga Maru was expected to leave Nagasaki for Shanghai on Thursday and is due to arrive at the Wayside Wharf today.

The N.Y.K. s.s. Kumano Maru was expected to leave Moji for Shanghai yesterday and is due to arrive at the N.Y.K. Wharf tomorrow.

The N.Y.K. s.s. Sado Maru is expected to arrive in Shanghai from Europe and Hongkong tomorrow.

The Blue Funnel s.s. Telemachus from Liverpool, left Hongkong on Wednesday and is due to arrive in Shanghai today.

The I-C. s.s. Hwahlee (chartered) will leave Hankow for Shanghai tomorrow.

The C.N. s.s. Ngankin will leave Hankow for Shanghai tomorrow.

The C.N. s.s. Chenan will leave Hongkong for Shanghai tomorrow.

The C.N. s.s. Tungchow will leave Tientsin for Weihaiwei, Chefoo and Shanghai tomorrow.

The K.M.A. s.s. Nichiyei Maru (chartered) left Chinwangtao for Shanghai on Wednesday.

The K.M.A. s.s. Burrmbeat (chartered) left Chinwangtao for Shanghai on Wednesday.

The N.Y.K. s.s. Yawata Maru is expected to leave Moji for Shanghai on Monday and is due to arrive at the N.Y.K. Wharf on Wednesday.

### Mail Notices

MAILS CLOSE

For U.S., Canada and Europe:
Per P.M. s.s. Colombia Apr. 24
For Europe
Per M.M. s.s. Andre Lebon Apr. 23
For United Kingdom:
Per B. and S. s.s. Rhesus Apr. 17
For Japan
Per N.Y.K. s.s. Kasuga M. Apr. 19

MAILS DUE

From U.S. and Canada
Per C.P.O.S. s.s. E. of Russia Apr. 25
From Europe
Per N.Y.K. s.s. Sado M. Apr. 18
From Japan
Per N.Y.K. s.s. Kasuga M. Apr. 17

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### Major Schroeder, Oxygen Exhausted, Loses Consciousness At Record Height

### THOUSANDS WATCH FALL

### Streak In Sky Made By Exhaust Mistaken For Comet—Rights Plane At 2,000 Feet

Dayton, Ohio, Feb. 27.—An airplane carrying Major R. W. Schroeder, chief test pilot at McCook Field, fell more than five miles today after reaching an altitude of 36,020 feet, about 5,000 feet higher than the previous world's record. The Major is in a hospital tonight suffering from the shock and from temporary partial blindness.

Instruments on the machine indicate that it fell more than five miles in two minutes. While still 2,000 feet above the ground the airplane righted itself and glided to a graceful landing. When the plane reached the ground attendants who rushed toward it found Major Schroeder sitting erect in the machine, apparently lifeless.

For a brief time residents of Dayton were sure a comet had appeared in the sky. They had mistaken the trail of vapor escaping from the machine as it sped downward for a "stranger in the heavens."

The exhaust gas from the airplane, freezing in the frigid temperature, caused a cloudlike formation, resembling the tail of a comet, to hang below the clouds. Inasmuch as the airplane was not visible, speculation varied as to what it was. Some witnesses were inclined to the belief that a strange body was coming with a message from Mars. Professor William Beck, astronomer at St. Mary's College, making observations through a telescope, discerned the airplane.

Gradually the object was enlarged as it hurled to the earth. When but a few thousand feet above them those watching saw that it was an airplane turning in a tail spin. It was at this point that Major Schroeder regained control of his plane and headed it toward McCook Field.

Here Major Schroeder made a safe landing and collapsed.

He was blinded and his limbs were numb, despite his electrically heated suit. He was suffering from the effects of a lack of oxygen. When nearly seven miles above the earth his oxygen tanks became exhausted, and it was this which robbed him of consciousness and caused him to fall.

Mechanics and officers at McCook Field lifted Major Schroeder from the plane and he was given first aid treatment, and later removed to the port hospital where it was said his blindness will be only temporary. But it will be several days before he will be able to use his eyes, according to Dr. Howard V. Ditrow, an eye specialist called into consultation.

**INSTRUMENTS TELL STORY**

The instrument on his machine recorded the best story of the experiences of the aviator in his fight to beat the record of Roland Rohlfs and bring first honors to the air forces of the United States Army. The thermometer registered a temperature of 55 degrees below zero Centigrade, or 67 degrees below Fahrenheit. Altitude figures from the barograph reading indicated a height of 37,000 feet and when calibrated by Captain Harrison W. Flickinger, showed an official altitude of 36,020 feet, a new world's record and a variation of less than 1,000 feet.

The mark set by Major Schroeder again gives him the record which Roland Rohlfs won from him July 30, 1919, with an official altitude of 30,300 feet and later increased in a second flight to 31,000 feet. It also breaks the record of Adjutant Casale, a French pilot, who was credited with an unofficial record of 33,137 feet.

Major Schroeder's first altitude record was made at Dayton, Sept. 18, 1918, when he flew a Bristol fighting machine to an altitude of 28,900 feet.

Leaving the field at 10:45 o'clock this morning, Major Schroeder battled for two hours and five minutes against changing air currents and in a bitter cold atmosphere until he reached an altitude of 36,020 feet.

Riding alone, almost seven miles above the earth, in a polar climate and against such winds as Peary encountered, which blow at 100 miles an hour or more, Major Schroeder fought foot by foot to drive his plane higher.

Officers of the field say his machine must have fallen into a tail spin, as otherwise it would have collapsed when he regained consciousness and righted it. The sudden change in air pressure from less than 3 pounds at 36,000 feet to 14.7 pounds at sea level crushed the gasoline tanks on his plane and caused them to collapse, besides jolting Major Schroeder.


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